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In support of punks

Pussy Riot. Arrest of Russian band members spurs Toronto woman to organize local protest

Supporters of Pussy Riot are mobilizing this week in more than 40 cities to hold demonstrations. In Toronto, rally organizer Lynn Flatley, seen here Wednesday with a balaclava that she just finished sewing, is a former Bay Street professional who was moved to act after hearing about the story. Helping Flatley is her son Andrew, 13, who has volunteered for political campaigns and last year attended City View, an alternative school with a focus on social justice. VINCE TALOTTA/TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

The global campaign to free three members of the Russian feminist punk band Pussy Riot is coming to Toronto, and it's attracting some unlikely supporters.

Until this week, Lynn Flatley had never organized a rally. But the story of three women who have been in jail for more than five months because of an anti-Vladimir Putin prank in Moscow's main cathedral changed that.

The former senior professional on Bay Street for 25 years, now a social media manager, was so "outraged and hurt" by the story, she decided to protest.

"I thought that it would just be my son and I, and maybe I would make my husband come," she said.

But the event she planned for Friday at noon outside the Russian Consulate at Bloor and Church streets is quickly gaining ground. On Wednesday morning it had fewer than 150 guests on Facebook, but by late afternoon it had more than 250 confirmed guests and nearly 1,600 invitees.

Similar rallies in more than 40 cities worldwide will be held on Friday, the day a Russian court will rule on whether the three band members will be sent to prison.

In a performance in Moscow's Christ the Saviour Cathedral in February, Nadezhda Tolokonnikova, Maria Alekhina and Yekaterina Samutsevich shouted the words of a "punk prayer" asking the Virgin Mary to deliver Russia from Putin, who was set to win a third term in a March presidential election. They were arrested on charges of hooliganism motivated by religious hatred, which carries a maximum sentence of seven years.

Flatley has strong memories of the G20 summit in Toronto in June 2010, which is one of the reasons the Pussy Riot trial hits home, she said.

"It can happen here; it has happened here — just an extreme response to a peaceful protest," she said. "We've got a stake in this."

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Impressing Bill Gates with a toilet

A U of T team takes third place in an international contest sponsored by the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation to design a new toilet PAGE 4

Too many cops in T.O.?

Coun. Mike Del Grande says no one has definitively explained how many police officers it takes to police the city — and for that reason, he's not afraid of austerity layoffs PAGE 3

Maybe NFL should chase down Bolt

The world's fastest man has said he's interested in trying soccer, so why not American football? PAGE 58

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Road safety

Mayor should have a driver, budget chair says

Toronto's budget chair says he'll find the money if city council wants Mayor Rob Ford to have a driver. "If council wants it, I'll put it in," Coun. Mike Del Grande said Wednesday. "Personally, given some of the things that have occurred, I think it makes sense."

Tuesday morning, Ford was photographed reading a document while driving on the Gardiner Expressway. It was the third incident in a little over a year in which Ford has been accused of unsafe or distracted driving.

Del Grande said council should step up since Ford has consistently opposed hiring a driver because he thinks it's a waste of money. "I think, rather than him saying yea or nay, I think council as a whole needs to say, 'Mr. Mayor, we're going to give you a driver.'"

This photo appears to show Mayor Rob Ford reading papers while driving along the Gardiner Tuesday morning. TWITTER.COM

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City hall

Ford appoints new chief of staff

There's been a shakeup at Toronto Mayor Rob Ford's office. The mayor has appointed a new chief of staff, promoting one of his top advisers to the spot. Mark Towhey will replace Ford's acting chief of staff, Earl Provost, who will continue on as director of stakeholder and council relations.

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Jane and Finch

Missing girl, 12, is located

Dystani Heng, the 12-year-old girl who went missing in the Jane and Finch area July 16, was found safe in a home in the same area by police Wednesday around 7 p.m. "Due to the public's assistance, police did speak with someone today that led them to (finding her)," said Const. Tony Vella.

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Police budget battle: Blair says freeze will mean layoffs

Showdown. Coun. Del Grande wants force to have the same funding in 2013 as it did this year

Toronto police Chief Bill Blair has warned there could be layoffs if city hall insists on a flatlined police budget in 2013.

The police have projected a net budget requirement next year of $976.6 million, but Coun. Mike Del Grande, Toronto's budget chief, is pushing the cops to make do with the $933.8 million provided this year.

"If you commit to these targets, you commit to layoffs," Blair warned the Toronto Police Services Board after Del Grande made a special budget plea Wednesday at police headquarters.

Del Grande was unbowed by the threat, repeatedly emphasizing that he has never seen an independent study justifying the current Toronto police uniform complement of about 5,600.

"One of the fundamental questions I ask is: How many police do we need in the city of Toronto?" Del Grande told the board in a 20-minute pitch for budget austerity.

"What's the right number? No one has been able to tell us definitively how many police officers does it take to police the city of Toronto."

In his desire for a budget freeze, which was underlined in a letter to the board from city manager Joe Pennachetti, Del Grande offered several suggestions to consider:

- Control paid duty, the program whereby police are paid $65 an hour to guard construction sites and patrol special events. In 2009, the city shelled out $7.8 million for paid-duty officers on city construction sites and other city purposes.

On paid duty, Blair said, "really it's the decision of council and the city manager, but if they want me to refuse to authorize paid duties for the city of Toronto, I'll be happy to do that."

- Limit the $7.2 million charged in overtime for police attending minor traffic cases in court. Blair said the city wanted officers to be off-duty for court appearances, which results in overtime.
- Start working now on changes to the next collective agreement with police officers, including cost-saving moves such as going to one-person patrol cars during daytime hours.
- Implement savings from efficiency reviews, shared service reviews and user fee reviews; refrain from making new budget requests; and continue cost control efforts.

Paid duty is one expense the general public would like to seen reined in, Del Grande told reporters after his address to the board.

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"One of the fundamental questions I ask is: How many police do we need in the city of Toronto? What's the right number?"

Coun. Mike Del Grande, Toronto's budget chief

Toronto police Chief Bill Blair, right, has warned there could be layoffs if city hall goes along with Coun. Mike Del Grande's pitch to freeze the police budget in 2013. TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

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Mobile news

Researchers have identified strange-looking mutated butterflies found near Japan's Fukushima nuclear plant. Scan the code to see why the science community is so worried.

Work to begin on turning park into more than a summer fling

Ontario Place revitalization. Province vows to create an all-season destination with places to live, work, shop, eat and play by 2017

Ontario Place could host beach volleyball for the Pan Am Games, but there are no guarantees the iconic Cinesphere will stay as the province vows to move at "lightning speed" to revitalize Ontario Place by 2017.

Tourism Minister Michael Chan said Wednesday the government has endorsed the 18 recommendations in last month's report from former Progressive Conservative leader John Tory to turn the waterfront park into an all-season destination with places to live, work, shop, eat and play.

"Today is the first step to move ahead," said Chan, who has earmarked $5.5 million to get the site ready for developers to make proposals for condos, a hotel, stores, restaurants and offices within two or three years.

With the province fighting a $15-billion deficit, no budget has been set for further development that would involve a series of public-private partnerships. "It's a bit early to estimate," Chan added, citing the park as a potential beach volleyball venue for the 2015 Pan Am games. "The possibility is workable."

He acknowledged "the timeline is quite tight" for having a new, improved Ontario Place open for Canada's 150th birthday in 2017 but said the minority Liberal government — which faces another election in 2015 at the latest and could easily fall before then — will do its best.

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The gates at Ontario Place will stay locked until at least 2017. COLIN MCCONNELL/TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

Yo-yo ace puts spin on stress release

Wayne Ngan, a 26-year-old PhD candidate in astronomy at the University of Toronto, shows off his yo-yo skills. He will be competing at the Canadian yo-yo nationals this Saturday in Calgary. STEPHANIE LAW/TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

After a long day of trying to solve the mysteries of the universe, there's one thing that always brings Wayne Ngan back to earth — his yo-yo.

He spins and criss-crosses a yo-yo behind his back, he throws two yo-yos out at the same time and loops one around the other without ever interrupting their spin. All of this done in beat with a chosen tune.

It used to be just a way to take to break from his from his PhD studies in astronomy, but now the 26-year-old University of Toronto student is launching himself toward a higher goal of becoming a national champion.

Ngan will be in Calgary this weekend at the 2012 National Yo-Yo Contest, where the winner earns a spot at the World Yo-Yo Contest in Orlando, Fla., next year.

"I find yo-yo to be a pretty good stress release," Ngan said. "When I'm yo-yo-ing, I'm not really thinking of anything else. It's a good getaway."

Ngan is completing studies for his doctorate at U of T. He models computer simulations of galaxies interacting with each other. When his computer programming or algorithm is running, or when he's stuck, Ngan whips out a yo-yo and relaxes.

"One of the really nice things about the yo-yo is you can do it anytime, anywhere," Ngan said. "So, even when I'm sitting at my office, or sometimes walking on the streets, I have my yo-yo on me all the time."

Ngan first picked up yo-yo-ing 15 years ago — back when yo-yos were enjoying yet another of several comebacks in the toy's 150-year history. He took a brief hiatus at the turn of the millennium, but picked his yo-yo back up again in 2008 when he found it lying around in his room.

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"The tricks in the 90s were a lot simpler, and the tricks today were not really possible 10 years ago."

Wayne Ngan

Toilet test. U of T team places third in crap shoot

A team from the University of Toronto wiped out the competition in an international contest to design a new toilet, taking third place and scooping up $40,000.

Sponsored by the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, the challenge for the eight teams was to design a toilet that could run off the grid and be able to process human waste in 24 hours. The Toronto Toilet runs on sustainable power, using a hand crank to process the solid waste, and sand along with a solar-powered UV light to disinfect the urine. The result is clean water and disinfected feces that could be used as fertilizer.

According to the foundation, 1.5 million children die each year from diseases related to food and water tainted with fecal matter, and about 2.5 billion people don't have access to proper sanitation.

The U of T team has applied to the Gates Foundation to be part of Phase 2 of the competition, where workable models of their toilet will be deployed into communities without sanitary facilities.

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Bill Gates watches a piece of "poop" drop into the toilet designed by a team from the University of Toronto. COURTESY MICHAEL HANSON

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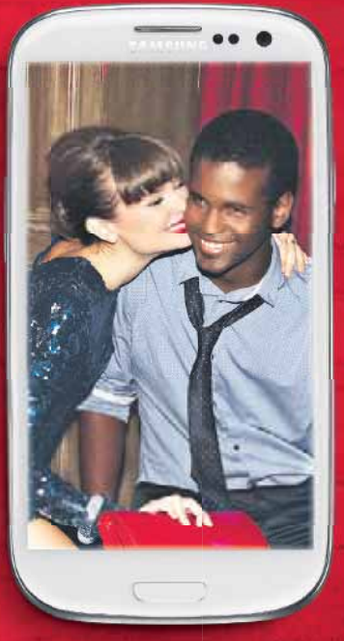

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We're No. 4! Toronto one of most livable cities

Toronto has taken fourth place in The Economist's 2012 rankings of livable cities, while Vancouver — which for nearly a decade was the first-place city before sliding to third place in 2011 — stayed there this year in the semi-annual report.

Vancouver and Toronto outscored the other Top 10 cities in stability, culture and environment but fell short on infrastructure (roads, transit, international links, housing and telecommunications).

Three of the Top 5 cities were in Canada — the other, at fifth place, was Calgary — a reflection of what the magazine considers livable: a mid-sized city that's not congested, with a low murder rate, good transit and health care and decent recreation.

The ranking rates 140 cities considered business centres for their stability, health care, culture and environment, education, and infrastructure.

Melbourne, Australia, claimed the top spot for the second year in a row

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Fashion's Night Out

Fashionistas, get ready to trip the night fantastic

Toronto will play host to Fashion's Night Out on Sept. 6. The celebration of fashion is a bid to bolster the industry in light of the slower economy. Fashion's Night Out will include designer appearances and exhibitions throughout the city, including Queen Street West and Yorkville.

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Josh Ornelaz of San Diego, Calif., demonstrates the FlowRider by Wave Loch during media day at the CNE on Wednesday. PAWEL DWULIT/TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

From sand to surf: CNE serves up lots of surprises

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"We like to say, 'You are safer on the ride than you are in the car coming to the CNE.'"

David Bednar, CNE general manager, on midway safety

It may only be made of sand, but Sandi Stirling's castle is strong enough to survive the Canadian National Exhibition.

At least, that's what the sand sculptor was hoping for on Wednesday afternoon, as she put the final touches on one castle more than 1.5 metres high, two days before the 18-day fair begins.

Stirling's castle, one of two she's been hired to build, stands in front of the FlowRider, a surfing simulation. Modelled from a picture Stirling draws, each castle takes about eight hours to build. To prevent the castles from losing their moisture, a glue and water mixture is sprayed over the finished sculpture.

There's rain predicted next week, but that's not what worries Stirling. The sun is what has the potential to turn her castle to a crumbling pile of sand.

"There's no guarantee that it's going to stay, but I hope like heck that it does," she says.

Among the new attractions at the Ex this year are the FlowRider and the Sky Ride, the latter similar to the Alpine Way gondolas dismantled in 1996.

The FlowRider is a surf machine that simulates waves. Riders can stand or lie on the boards that are provided to hang 10.

Midway rides are tested several times throughout the day once the CNE kicks off. They're inspected on three levels, from testing the structure to checking for trip hazards.

David Bednar, CNE general manager, insists the midway is totally safe.

"We like to say, 'You are safer on the ride than you are in the car coming to the CNE,'" he said.

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New this year

Food to make the heart beat faster

Those still haunted by the CNE's deep-fried butter and Krispy Kreme burger experiments had better brace themselves for this year's craze: The Bacon Nation Explosion.

Bacon Nation's Mars bar with bacon bits

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The eye-catching sandwich is filled with a thick slice of "bacon sausage" stuffed with bacon bits and infused with Jack Daniel's barbecue sauce.

But if you clog an artery just reading about it, try the raw taco from Vie Raw Food. It is made with dehydrated corn tortillas, vegan cashew cream and refried "beans" made from walnuts and a red pepper purée.

A dessert from Vie Raw Food

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The CNE is covering all the food bases this year, with 11 new vendors plus signs directing people to healthy, halal, vegan, gluten-free, peanut-free and dairy-free options.

"It would be socially irresponsible for a venue like the CNE not to offer these options," said Natalie Costa, who will dish out raw, vegan, gluten-free mains and desserts at the Vie booth in the food building.

A Bulgogi taco from Far East Taco

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Bladder trouble

Prince Philip, 91, back in hospital

Queen Elizabeth's husband, Prince Philip, was admitted to hospital in Aberdeen, Scotland, on Wednesday with a recurrence of the bladder infection he suffered earlier this summer.

Officials said he would likely stay in the hospital for a few days for investigation and treatment.

He was taken from the royal family's Balmoral estate in Scotland to the hospital.

The 91-year-old royal consort was hospitalized for five days in June with a bladder infection that may have been aggravated by his prolonged appearance at a pageant marking the Queen's 60-year reign.

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Robbery at icon's home

Steve Jobs' wallet had a dollar inside

The burglar who broke into Steve Jobs' house made off with the Apple Inc. co-founder's wallet with a dollar inside and his driver's licence in addition to Apple gadgets and jewelry, says a police report.

The suspect, Kariem McFarlin, 35, allegedly targeted the unoccupied Palo Alto, Calif., home because it was under renovation. Jobs died last October.

Also taken were iPhones, iPads, iPods, Mac computers, Cristal Champagne and $60,000 worth of Tiffany & Co. jewellery.

McFarlin has been jailed on $500,000 bail.

He faces almost eight years in prison if convicted.

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'Oh my god!'

Gunfire, panic in temple rampage

Gunfire can be heard in recordings of emergency calls from the scene of the shooting that killed six worshippers at a Sikh temple in the U.S.

Milwaukee County authorities on Wednesday released tapes from the Aug. 5 attack at the Sikh Temple of Wisconsin.

As one caller says "There's a shooting," gunfire can be heard.

Another woman calls to report seeing someone shot. At one point, with phones ringing, a dispatcher says, "Oh my god!"

White supremacist Wade Michael Page opened fire at the temple before shooting himself.

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Town's double dose of grief

Carnage in Syria. Two savage bombing raids kill at least 20, including a baby; women and children among the wounded

Syrian fighter jets swooped in low over the rebel-held town of Azaz Wednesday in two bombing runs that sent panicked civilians fleeing for cover and reduced homes to rubble.

The Britain-based Syrian Observatory for Human Rights said 23 people died in the double airstrike and more than 200 were wounded.

Mohammed Nour, a local activist reached by phone, put the death toll at 25. Neither figure could be independently confirmed.

One man was pulled bloodied but alive from the wreckage of destroyed homes.

"God is great! God is great!" yelled his rescuers.

Nearby, a woman sat on the pile of bricks that once was her home, cradling a dead baby.

Two other bodies lay next to her, covered in blankets.

"I saw the plane come down and some missiles fall and then there was smoke all over," said Mohammed Fuad, 18, who lives near the site of the attacks.

"When it cleared, we heard screaming and saw rubble all over the streets."

The attack came on the same day the United Nations released a report accusing Syrian President Bashar Assad's forces of war crimes in the killings of more than 100 civilians — nearly half of them children — in the village of Houla in May.

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Attack scene

Azaz, about 48 kilometres north of Aleppo, considers itself 'liberated' since rebel forces pushed out the army in a series of gritty street battles last month. Its largest rebel group, the Northern Storm Brigade, runs a prison and the nearby border crossing with Turkey.

Injured but alive: Syrians leave a field hospital in Azaz after an airstrike Wednesday. KHALIL HAMRA/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Wants new ideas

Baird thinks again over $2 million

Foreign Affairs Minister John Baird has changed his mind about giving $2 million to a Syrian-Canadian group so it could buy medical supplies.

The Canadian Press has learned Baird has told officials to find another way to get the supplies to Syria.

The government announced on the weekend that Canadian Relief for Syria would be given the $2 million to provide medical care to people caught up in the ongoing conflict.

But a government source says Baird is concerned that some of the funds will be used for warehouses and other infrastructure.

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E-dealer. Canadians among the top users of illicit drug website

Marijuana is the top-selling drug on the Silk Road site. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Canadians are among the top sellers and buyers of marijuana, steroids, cocaine and other drugs available at the click of a mouse on an anonymous website that functions like a black market version of eBay, a study has found.

The website, called Silk Road, uses a digital currency to protect online purchases, and an anonymity software to conceal users' identities online, making it very difficult for law enforcement agents to locate the site's servers or its participants.

Nicolas Christin, a cybersecurity professor at Carnegie Mellon University in Pittsburgh, Pa., said the website is growing at an alarming rate, with total revenues estimated at $1.9 million per month.

"This seems to be a growing marketplace," said Christin, who recently released a research paper on the illegal online pharmacy.

"If you set aside the type of things that they are selling, they seem to be working on a fairly good business model," Christin said in an interview.

According to his research, which looked at the sales activity on Silk Road for eight months between end of 2011 and 2012, Canada ranks fifth in a list of top 12 most frequent shipping origins and destinations, accounting for about six per cent of both.

Marijuana is the top selling drug on the website, accounting for 13.7 per cent of sales.

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Accidental incident

Don't keep a gun in your pocket

Police say a man accidentally shot himself in the buttocks at a Nevada movie theatre during a showing of The Bourne Legacy.

The man told officers the gun fell from his pocket Tuesday night as he was adjusting himself in the seat and that it discharged when it dropped to the floor.

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Mexican forests

Logging axed in butterfly reserve

Illegal logging has nearly been eliminated in the western Mexico wintering grounds of the monarch butterfly, says a research report released Wednesday.

Mexican officials now hope to use the program of anti-logging patrols and payments to rural residents to solve other forestry conflicts. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Centuries-old sunken ship brought back from the deep

Dry land. Researchers at Texas university try to reconstruct French explorer's vessel with the help of a gigantic freeze-dryer

The hull of the 17th-Century French ship La Belle is shown at the Texas A&M University Center for Maritime Archaeology and Conservation in Bryan, Texas. TEXAS A&M UNIVERSITY/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

More than three centuries ago, a French explorer's ship sank in the Gulf of Mexico, taking with it France's hopes of colonizing a vast piece of the New World — modern-day Texas.

Like La Salle in 1685, researchers at Texas A&M University are in uncharted waters as they try to reconstruct his vessel with a gigantic freeze-dryer, the first undertaking of its size.

By placing the ship, named La Belle, in a constant environment of up to 60 degrees below zero, more than 300 years of moisture will be safely removed from hundreds of European oak and pine timbers and planks.

Researchers will then rebuild the 16.5-metre vessel, which will become the centerpiece of the Bob Bullock Texas State History Museum in Austin.

From a historical perspective, it's "an icon of a small event that dramatically changed the course of Texas history," said Jim Bruseth, who led the Texas Historical Commission effort to recover the remains.

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"People can see firsthand how history can turn on a dime."

Jim Bruseth, who led the Texas Historical Commission effort to recover the remains of the sunken ship La Belle

The supply ship was built in 1684 and sank two years later in a storm on Matagorda Bay, about midway between Galveston and Corpus Christi.

"When La Belle sank, that doomed La Salle's colony and opened up the door for Spain to come in and occupy Texas," Bruseth said. "People can see firsthand how history can turn on a dime."

"It's an important piece in ship architecture," said Peter Fix, conservator at the school's Center for Maritime Archaeology and Conservation.

Researchers have determined that unlike earlier vessels, the frames on La Belle were marked specifically by the French craftsmen so the wood comprising the hull could follow the complex curve of the ship.

After a more than decade-long hunt, Texas Historical Commission archaeologists found the ship in 1995 in 12 feet of murky water. Then began the tedious recovery that involved constructing a dam around the site.

After the water was pumped out, teams dug through six feet of mud in the Gulf of Mexico seabed to retrieve the nearly intact ship and some 700,000 items, from swords, cannons and ammunition to beads and mirrors intended for trade. Archaeologists also found one skeleton, believed to be a crew member or settler among the some 40 people aboard.

The ship was then transferred to the Texas A&M lab, where the water-logged wood has been immersed in a chemical solution to keep it solid.

The rebuilding of the La Belle will begin late next year at the Bullock Museum.

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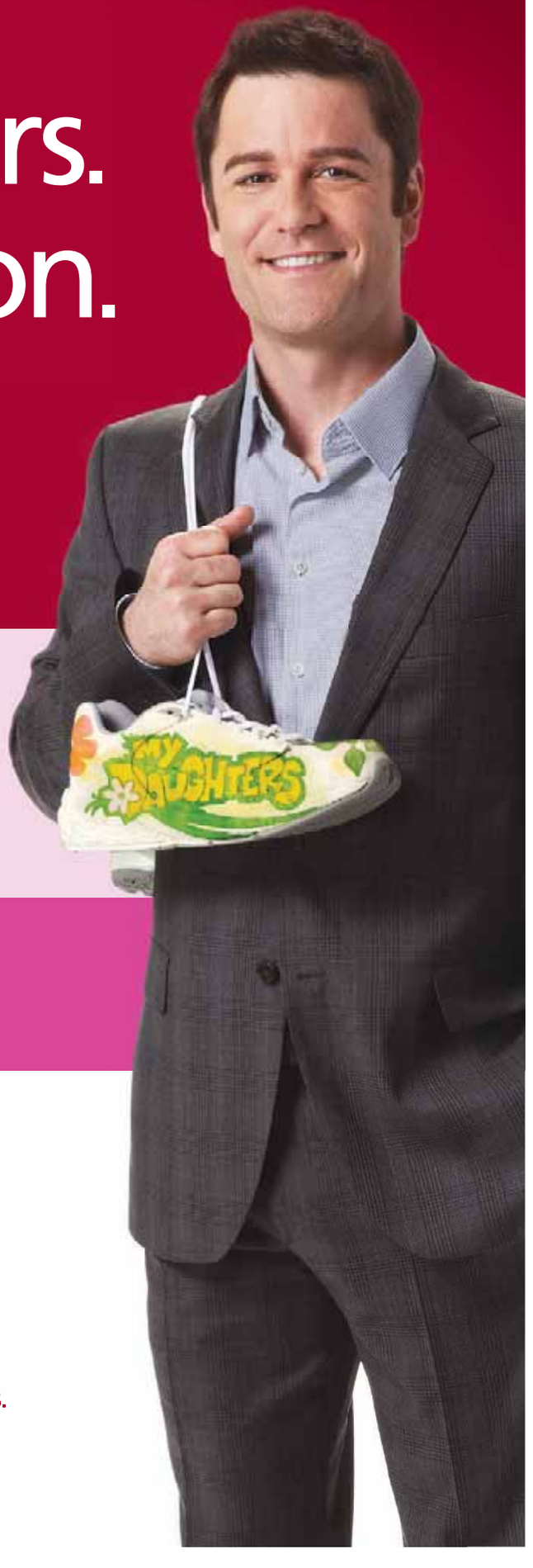

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Only two per cent of Canadians deny climate change: Poll

Paradigm change. Poll comes after Alberta election, in which it is believed the Wildrose Party lost when party leader Danielle Smith refused to admit climate change exists

51 per cent of Canadians believe fossil fuels will still be used after the year 2050 for electricity production in Canada. GETTY IMAGES

Only two per cent of Canadians who responded to a new opinion poll believe climate change is not occurring.

The findings are in a survey conducted by Insightrix Research, Inc. for IPAC-CO2 Research Inc., a Regina-based centre that studies carbon capture and storage.

The online poll of 1,550 people was done between May 29 and June 11. The results were released on Wednesday.

"Our survey indicates that Canadians from coast to coast overwhelmingly believe climate change is real and is occurring, at least in part due to human activity," said centre CEO Carmen Dybwad.

Respondents were asked where they stood on the issue of climate change.

Almost one-third — 32 per cent — said they believe climate change is happening because of human activity, while 54 per cent said they believe it's because of human activity and partially due to natural climate variation. Nine per cent believe climate change is occurring due to natural climate variation.

Two per cent said they don't believe climate change is occurring at all.

The opinions about the cause of climate change and how to combat it are divided among the provinces and by region.

According to the survey, Prairie respondents are least likely to believe that climate change is occurring due to human activity, while residents of Quebec, Atlantic Canada and British Columbia are most likely to hold this belief. THE CANADIAN PRESS

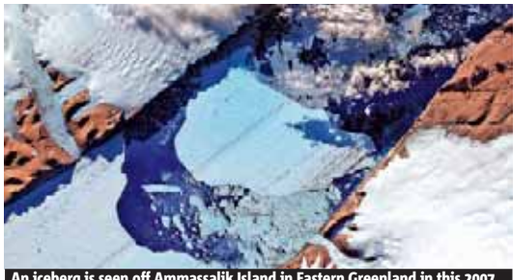
Record low. Greenland ice cap breaks melting record this season

The Greenland ice cap has already broken a record for cumulative melting with a month left to go in the season.

It's the latest indication of an extraordinary year of change in the Arctic.

Researchers at New York's City College say the ice cap has already set records for the extent of melting over its surface and the amount of ice exposed to warming air temperatures.

All across the once-frozen top of the world, scientists report that sea ice appears to be headed for new record lows.



An iceberg is seen off Ammassalik Island in Eastern Greenland in this 2007 file photo. JOHN MCCONNICO/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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Attacks fly as U.S. race gets increasingly heated

U.S. President Barack Obama looks on as Michelle Obama speaks during a campaign stop on Wednesday in Iowa. CHARLIE NEIBERGAL/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Republican presidential candidate Mitt Romney speaks to travelling press secretary Rick Gorka on Wednesday in Ohio. MARY ALTAFFER/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Election. Romney accuses Obama of running campaign driven by 'hatred'; Obama says that his rival's trading 'trickle-down snake oil'

Republican presidential challenger Mitt Romney said U.S. President Barack Obama is running a campaign driven by "division and attack and hatred" and called on him Wednesday to lift the tone of political discourse.

In a close and increasingly acrimonious race, Romney went on national television to say he thinks Obama is "running just to hang onto power, and I think he would do anything in his power" to remain in office.

They were some of Romney's harshest words yet against the president. He was interviewed on CBS television from the battleground state of Ohio, one of fewer than 10 key states that will help decide the November election.

Closing out a three-day bus journey across the Midwestern state of Iowa, Obama did not respond to the Romney attack, but accused his opponent in the Nov. 6 presidential election of "trying to sell this trickle-down snake oil before."

Many business-friendly Republicans maintain that creating a better economic climate for top income earners and big corporations produces benefits that spread downward to lower-income workers.

Obama insists that Romney and his newly named vice-presidential running mate, Rep. Paul Ryan, have laid out a program that reprises the economic policies of former president George W. Bush: Big tax breaks for the wealthy and cuts to the social safety net for older Americans and the needy.

He blamed that economic philosophy for leading the country into the deepest economic downturn since the Great Depression, saying Republicans were responsible for middle and low-income wages stagnating or falling since the turn of the century.

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Fall. Penn State to host child sex abuse conference

Penn State announced Wednesday that it will host a national child sex abuse conference this fall, the latest in a series of initiatives designed to raise awareness of the issue and help the university recover from a devastating molestation scandal.

The gathering scheduled for Oct. 29 and 30 in State College will feature academic and clinical experts on childhood molestation and trauma, as well as remarks by retired boxing champ Sugar Ray Leonard and former kidnapping victim Elizabeth Smart, both of whom suffered sexual abuse.

"Penn State has made a commitment to becoming a leader in the research, prevention and treatment of child abuse, and this conference is an important part of that," university President Rodney Erickson said in a statement.

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Paterno book

Joe Paterno sobbed while meeting with his coaches and a former player the day after he was fired from Penn State, according to an excerpt of an upcoming book on Paterno to be published in GQ magazine.

- "I have spent my whole life trying to make (my) name mean something. And now it's gone," Paterno is quoted as telling his son.

Caregiving

'Silver tsunami' ads launched

There's a campaign beginning Thursday to raise awareness of the heavy impact of family caregiving as the U.S. ages — and to point overwhelmed families toward resources that may ease the strain.

In a new public-service ad, a woman grips her car's steering wheel as her frail father, on oxygen, coughs beside her and her kids play in the back seat. The frustration is recognizable to millions who struggle to care for aging loved ones while holding down jobs and raising children.

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Ornge. Expert panel to look into patient deaths

Ontario's chief coroner is enlisting experts to take another look at deaths involving the province's troubled air-ambulance service over the past six years to determine whether Ornge transport may have played a role.

Dr. Andrew McCallum's office did an initial review of some deaths and found that none of them appear to have been materially affected by issues involving transport by Ornge, which is currently under a criminal probe for financial irregularities.

Since then, other deaths have come to light, McCallum said in a statement Wednesday.

A panel comprising experts in air ambulance, prehospital care and emergency medicine is being established to "comprehensively review" all such cases and report back in late fall, he said.

"What we're doing is we're saying there's obviously a group of deaths where there's a common factor, and the factor is concerns about air-ambulance transport," deputy chief coroner Dr. Dan Cass said in an interview with The Canadian Press.

An Ornge helicopter takes off from the roof of St. Michael's Hospital. DAVID COOPER/TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE FILE

"We wanted to ensure that we had the right knowledge and expertise around the table to be able to guide us in evaluating those deaths and coming up with themes and recommendations that might prevent deaths in the future."

The exact number of deaths that will be reviewed hasn't been determined, but 17 cases have already been identified for the panel to consider, Cass said.

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Public workers

Province to review bonus system

Ontario's cash-strapped government will review a system that awarded bonuses to almost all eligible senior public servants last year as it tries to eliminate a $15-billion deficit, Premier Dalton McGuinty said Wednesday.

He made the comments after The Canadian Press reported that nearly 98 per cent of eligible managers in the Ontario Public Service got bonuses in 2011.

It's concerning that "a lot of people" are getting bonuses, he said Wednesday after touring a Toronto school.

"If everybody gets pay for performance, it's not pay for performance, it's pay," he said.

"I think we need to revisit the whole concept of pay for performance, given our fiscal reality."

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'The emotional impact is going to be long-term'

Elliot Lake, Ont.
Residents speak out regarding deadly mall collapse at inquiry's public meeting

Residents of Elliot Lake, Ont., stood at microphones Wednesday to express frustration, anger, and above all the profound sense of loss caused by the collapse of the town's mall.

The lingering grief was palpable at an informal public meeting of the judicial inquiry they hope will explain why the tragedy struck them almost two months ago.

As Commissioner Paul Belanger listened, several residents spoke as if the family home had burned down.

"The emotional impact is going to be long-term for many people in this community," said longtime resident Fran Perkins, who was in the mall on June 23.

Speakers noted just how central the mall was to their daily lives — as both a shopping destination but also a favoured place to meet, chat, share a coffee, or catch up with the world at the library.

The partial collapse of the rooftop garage not only killed two people, it also destroyed 60 per cent of the town's retail space, including several lower-cost stores.

Some residents noted that scores of younger people had lost their jobs, while others talked about the difficulty and expense of getting to surrounding communities to buy everyday items such as socks or underwear.

Resident Jocelyn Field makes a point about the loss of the town's mall at a public meeting in Elliot Lake, Ont., on Wednesday. The meeting was called by the commission of inquiry into why the mall collapsed in June, killing two people. It will also look into the emergency response after the collapse. COLIN PERKEL/THE CANADIAN PRESS

Victims

- Killed in the collapse were Lucie Aylwin, 37, and Doloris Perizzolo, 74.

Formal hearings are expected to begin early next year as the commission seeks to find out why Algo Centre Mall collapsed and looks into the emergency response. It will also make recommendations aimed at preventing a recurrence.

In his opening remarks, Belanger said the inquiry's task is to find out what happened, but not to assign blame.

"This distinction can be frustrating for members of the public who want to see the perceived wrongdoers penalized," Belanger said.

"Punishment or penalty may follow but not as part of the public inquiry itself."

Other residents wondered why nothing was done about the mall earlier. Locals had complained about its condition, alleging a leaky roof and unsafe escalator were well-known features of the building.

In a statement, Eastwood Mall Inc., owner of the Algo Centre, said it was unaware of any structural issues that could have led to the "surprising" roof collapse.

"The owners of the mall have no information or knowledge as to how this event occurred," the statement said.

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Blasts. Bombings kill 10 in Iraq as recent death toll rises

Three bomb blasts shortly before sunset Wednesday killed 10 people north of Baghdad in the latest spasm of violence to grip Iraq.

The blasts underscored the volatility of the country eight months after the last U.S. troops pulled out. Insurgents, led by the local branch of al-Qaida, are trying to re-establish themselves in their old strongholds and undermine the government.

The first bomb went off Wednesday in Baqouba, about 60 kilometres northeast of the Iraqi capital. Police said two civilians and one police officer were killed, and five people were wounded.

Minutes later, authorities said, a car bomb exploded at the entrance of the main market in Muqdadiyah, about 90 kilometres north of Baghdad. A second blast struck as police arrived on the scene. Police said the toll for both bombings in the town was seven killed and 26 wounded.

The bombs exploded shortly before the ceremonial breaking of the daily fast during the holy month of Ramadan, when families and friends gather for a sunset meal. Police said the Muqdadiyah market was crowded with shoppers who were buying last-minute supplies for the "iftar" meal.

Baqouba and Muqdadiyah are both located in the province of Diyala, a former stronghold of al-Qaida's Iraqi branch. The province is home to both Sunni and Shiite Muslims.

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Who's responsible?

- There was no immediate claim of responsibility for the bombings, though large co-ordinated bombings are often the work of al-Qaida's local franchise.
- The al-Qaida offshoot, known as the Islamic State of Iraq, has declared its intentions to reclaim areas from which it was routed by the U.S. and its local allies. It has for years had a hot-and-cold relationship with the global terror network's leadership.

Violence. Grenades thrown into Afghan mosque compound

Nearly two dozen Afghan civilians were wounded on Wednesday when two grenades exploded inside a mosque compound and a bicycle bomb blew up in a city market, officials said.

The violence came a day after bomb blasts around Afghanistan killed at least 50 people in the deadliest day for civilians this year, as Taliban insurgents and other militants ramp up violence across the country.

The Taliban summer offensive coincides with Afghan police and soldiers taking on more responsibility for security while international forces start to withdraw.

Separately, NATO reported that one of its service members was killed Wednesday in an insurgent attack in the east. NATO did not disclose the nationality of the soldier or provide any more details.

The U.S. military reported that one of its soldiers died in a roadside bombing Wednesday, also in eastern Afghanistan. So far this year, 286 international troops have been killed in Afghanistan.

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A wounded man is carried at the scene of an explosion in Herat, west of Kabul, Afghanistan on Wednesday. HOSHANG HASHIMI/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Assault

Iraqi hero among five arrested in sex attack

An Iraqi man hailed as a hero for helping U.S. soldiers in Iraq is one of five Iraqis accused of rape-related charges after a woman suffered serious injuries during a sex assault in Colorado Springs.

Jasim Mohammed Hassin Ramadon, 22, was charged with sexual assault and being an accessory after he was arrested Tuesday in connection with the July 22 attack.

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Court

Arab naval officer loses U.S. lawsuit

A naval officer from the United Arab Emirates has lost a lawsuit that claimed he didn't pay a domestic servant for long hours of work.

A federal judge in Rhode Island signed an order of default Monday against Col. Arif Mohamed Saeed Mohamed Al-Ali.

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Israel

War with Iran could be costly: Defence chief

An Israeli attack on Iran's nuclear program could trigger a bloody month-long war on multiple fronts, killing hundreds of Israelis or more, the Israeli Cabinet's civil defence chief warned in an interview published Wednesday.

It was the most explicit assessment yet of how the government sees events unfolding in the aftermath of an Israeli attack.

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Libya

Red Cross plans outreach increase

The International Committee of the Red Cross says it is reaching out to Libyans to counter suspicions about the relief agency's work in eastern and central Libya, following attacks there. The ICRC suspended its activities in Benghazi and Misrata earlier this month. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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U.S. army general accused of opulence could be demoted

'Kip' Ward. Highest ranking officer faces multiple allegations of improperly spending hundreds of thousands of dollars

Gen. William "Kip" Ward
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A four-star U.S. army general who was the first head of the new U.S. Africa Command is under investigation and faces possible demotion for allegedly spending hundreds of thousands of dollars improperly on lavish travel, hotels and other items, The Associated Press has learned.

Gen. William "Kip" Ward has been under investigation for about 17 months, and Defence Secretary Leon Panetta is expected to make a final decision on the matter before the end of the month, according to several defence officials.

The defence officials said Ward is facing numerous allegations that he spent several hundred thousand dollars allowing unauthorized people, including family members, to fly on government planes, and spent excessive amounts of money on hotel rooms, transportation and other expenses when he travelled as head of Africa Command.

A four-star general is the highest rank in the U.S. army.

While the exact amount of alleged misspending was not disclosed, the estimated total raises comparisons with the $823,000 allegedly spent by dozens of employees of the General Services Administration, who were accused of lavish spending during an October 2010 conference at a Las Vegas resort.

Officials described the investigation to The Associated Press on condition of anonymity because it is a personnel matter and the report on the investigation has not been released publicly.

The Defence Department inspector general has completed its investigation into Ward's activities, and the issue is under legal review.

A request for comment from Ward was not immediately fulfilled Wednesday.

Panetta's options regarding Ward are limited by complex laws and military guidelines. Panetta can demote Ward and force him to retire at a lower rank. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Hundreds of families forced out of settlement

Elsy Castillo, 25, and her 8-year-old daughter Dairl, react as they are forced to leave the area near the Jacobo Arbenz housing settlement by the military and police in Guatemala City, Wednesday. Security forces evicted about 200 families on Monday from vacant lots that they took over in January. RODRIGO ABD/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

American Samoa

NZ fishery guilty of dumping waste

A federal jury has convicted a New Zealand fishing company of dumping oil waste into U.S. waters outside American Samoa, and falsifying records. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Scottish terror group

Bomb threat suspect indicted

A member of a Scottish terror group was indicted Wednesday on charges he emailed bomb threats that disrupted campus life at the University of Pittsburgh. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

9/11 memorial

Toss out cross lawsuit: Lawyers

Lawyers for a 9/11 memorial say a judge should toss out a lawsuit by an atheist group seeking to stop a display of a cross-shaped beam found among WTC wreckage. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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Space. India looking at $82M mission to Mars

India plans to send a spacecraft to Mars next year on a scientific mission critics say shows the governing party's skewed priorities when people lack electricity and safe drinking water.

Prime Minister Manmohan Singh announced the $82-million US mission during a speech Wednesday marking the 65th anniversary of India's independence from British rule.

The spacecraft will orbit Mars to collect data after its launch in November 2013.

In 2008, India successfully sent a probe to the moon that detected evidence of water on the lunar surface. India is also planning a rover mission to the moon and is awaiting budgetary approval for a manned space mission.

India's Polar Satellite Launch Vehicle blasts off in this 2010 file photo. INDIAN SPACE RESEARCH ORGANIZATION/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS FILE

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Too much evidence

U.S. dropping case against fugitive doc

A fugitive doctor charged in the largest prosecution of Internet pharmacies in the U.S. is getting off in part because there's just too much evidence in his case.

Armando Angulo, who fled to his native Panama in 2004, was indicted in 2007. A federal judge in Iowa dismissed the charge last week at the request of prosecutors, who want to throw out more than 400,000 documents and two terabytes of electronic data that they say is expensive to maintain.

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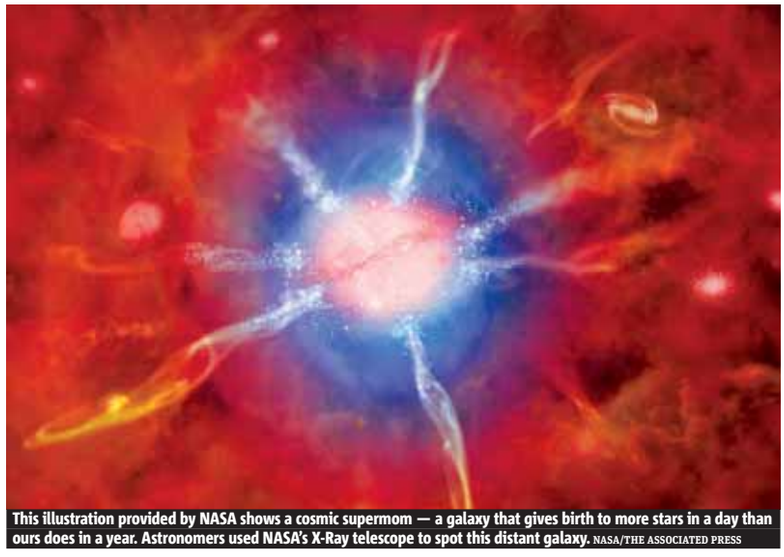
Forget Octomom: Phoenix is new cosmic supermom

In a galaxy far away. Six-billion-year-old galaxy produces stars at a rate of two a day



This illustration provided by NASA shows a cosmic supermom — a galaxy that gives birth to more stars in a day than ours does in a year. Astronomers used NASA's X-Ray telescope to spot this distant galaxy. NASA/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Scientists have found a cosmic supermom. It's a galaxy that gives birth to more stars in a day than ours does in a year.

Astronomers used NASA's Chandra X-Ray telescope to spot this distant gigantic galaxy creating about 740 new stars a year. By comparison, our Milky Way spawns just about one new star each year.

It's about 5.7 billion light years away in the centre of a recently discovered cluster of galaxies that give the brightest X-ray glow astronomers have seen. But this is the size, type and age of galaxy that shouldn't be producing stars at such a rapid pace, said the authors of a study published Wednesday in the journal Nature.

There's another strange thing about this galaxy. It's fairly mature, maybe six billion years old. Usually, this type "are kind of just there and don't do anything new … what we call red and dead," said study lead author Michael McDonald of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. "It seems to have come back to life for some reason."

Because of that back-to-life situation, the team of 85 astronomers has nicknamed the galaxy cluster Phoenix, after the bird that rises from the ashes. The galaxy is the biggest and most prominent of many galaxies there.

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Talks. Canadian, German firms to meet during Merkel's Ottawa visit

Team Canada, meet Team Germany.

As Chancellor Angela Merkel and Stephen Harper kicked off their two-day visit at the prime minister's retreat Wednesday night, a major German warship-builder and a leading Canadian defence contractor were among ten companies poised for talks of their own.

The chief executives of Germany's ThyssenKrupp Marine Systems and Canada's CAE Inc., which manufactures defence simulators, are among the 10 that will attend a Parliament Hill business luncheon Thursday with Merkel and Harper.

Merkel's visit with Harper is being billed as a chance for two established Western leaders to have quality face time on the weighty economic and political issues of the day.

But a mini-trade mission is shaping up as a major component of the German leader's two-day visit.

Merkel arrived with five major German business leaders in tow, and they will be joined by five Canadian counterparts at Thursday's luncheon. All of them remained in Ottawa Wednesday night as Merkel and Harper met for an informal two-hour conversation over dinner at the prime minister's Harrington Lake retreat a half-hour drive across the Quebec border.

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Mounties salute German Chancellor Angela Merkel as she arrives in Ottawa on Wednesday. THE CANADIAN PRESS

Marine might

ThyssenKrupp Marine is under contract with National Defence for help in the construction of the Canadian navy's new supply ships. The company is also considered a leading candidate if the federal government decides to replace the military's glitch-plagued submarines.

Noise threatening rare whale population: Study

'Acoustic smog.'
Researchers find underwater sounds are hindering whales' ability to communicate

A blue whale is shown near a cargo ship in the Santa Barbara Channel off the California coast. The whales have suction-cup tags attached so their underwater behaviour and reaction can be monitored. CASCADIA RESEARCH/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Researchers say increasing amounts of underwater noise, largely from shipping traffic, are enveloping rare right whales in "acoustic smog" that makes it harder for them to communicate.

The endangered North Atlantic right whale relies far more on sound than sight, using distinctive noises to maintain contact.

A paper by federal scientists and Cornell University researchers published Wednesday estimates that in the last 50 years, the area where the whales can effectively communicate in Stellwagen Bank and surrounding waters off Massachusetts has fallen by two-thirds because of the noise.

The researchers say the racket is cutting down on the mammals' ability to gather and share vital information that helps them find food, avoid predators, reproduce and protect their young.

"Basically, the whales off Boston now find themselves living in a world full of our acoustic smog," said Christopher Clark, director of Cornell's bioacoustics research program and a study co-author.

The paper's lead author, acoustics expert Leila Hatch of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, compared the whales' plight to a person at a crowded cocktail party who must either speak up or leave the room to be heard.

In the whales' case, the mammals might change the frequency or volume of their calls, which can limit the effectiveness of the communication and put them under physiological stress, Hatch said.

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10 now dead as South African strike drags on

Striking miners sing, chant, march and dance with crudely made weapons and machetes at the Lonmin mine near Marikana, South Africa on Wednesday. Ongoing violence that started last Friday has seen 10 people killed, with no end to the strike in sight. JON GAMBRELL/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Fort Hood shooting suspect's trial on hold

Attempted murder charges. Army psychiatrist refuses to shave beard on religious grounds delaying plea entry

The trial for an Army psychiatrist charged in the deadly 2009 Fort Hood shooting was put on hold Wednesday by an appeals court considering his objections to being forcibly shaved.

Maj. Nidal Hasan had been scheduled to enter a plea Wednesday to charges in the attack at the Texas Army post, but all court proceedings were put on hold before he could do that.

Hasan, an American-born Muslim, indicated he wanted to plead guilty for religious reasons, according to a defence motion.

But the judge, Col. Gregory Gross, said he would not be able to accept a guilty plea on the 13 charges of premeditated murder.

That's because the charges carry death as the maximum punishment and the government is pursuing the death penalty in Hasan's case.

Hasan, 41, also is charged with 32 counts of attempted premeditated murder.

The trial, which was scheduled to start Monday, will be on hold until the appeals court rules on Hasan's objection to being shaved. Wednesday's court order that put the proceedings on hold gives the judge a week to respond.

Hasan has grown the beard in violation of Army regulations, and Gross has not allowed him to stay in the courtroom, saying the beard is a disruption.

However, the judge said he wants Hasan in the room during the court-martial to prevent a possible appeal on the issue if he is convicted.

Hasan's attorneys have said he won't shave because the beard is an expression of his Muslim faith.

Hasan also has had a premonition that his death is imminent, his attorneys told the court.

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Wiki. Ecuador accuses Britain of threatening to storm London embassy

Ecuador's foreign minister is alleging that Britain threatened to storm his country's London embassy to arrest WikiLeaks founder Julian Assange.

Ricardo Patino told a news conference that Ecuador received a written threat Wednesday from Britain that "it could assault our embassy" if Assange was not handed over.

He said the threat was delivered to Ecuador's Foreign Ministry and ambassador in London.

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A banner of Julian Assange is paraded through London. SANG TAN/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Privacy issues

Germany calls for Facebook changes

A German data protection official has called for Facebook to delete biometric profiles of people stored without their explicit consent.

In short, he wants Facebook to delete users' faces from its databases. The Hamburg Commissioner for Data Protection said Wednesday that talks to bring Facebook's business practice in line with German and European privacy rules had failed. Johannes Caspar says he is now re-opening a stalled probe of the California-based company "in order to find a legally sound solution with regard to the use of biometric data" that he says can be used to automatically identify individuals.

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Nigeria. 14 die in latest violence linked to radical Islamist mercenaries

Officials say 14 people have died in separate attacks involving a radical Islamist sect in Nigeria's violence-torn northeast.

The deaths continue a spate of attacks by the sect known as Boko Haram and reprisals by security officials. The 14 deaths reported Wednesday included sect members, security officials and at least one civilian.

Army spokesman Lt. Col. Sagir Musa said that in one attack a suicide bomber killed a commuter Wednesday at a checkpoint in the city of Maiduguri. In another, two suspected Boko Haram members were fatally shot by police after entering a market with weapons. Police in the nearby city of Damaturu said sect members also killed a security officer there late Tuesday. He said nine bodies were later found in the city, identifying them only as "gang members." THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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Cranbrook

B.C. Legion pulls ethnic joke from newsletter

A British Columbia branch of the Royal Canadian Legion has pulled its newsletter after publishing a joke about the murder of two "Indians."

The Cranbrook, B.C., branch printed 40 copies of their August newsletter before pulling the issue and replacing the joke with a Publisher's Comment explaining why the text was removed in an updated version. It did not include an apology.

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Nanaimo

Another city bans sale of shark fins

Nanaimo, B.C., has joined a handful of Canadian cities in banning the sale of shark fins. Nanaimo is now the first city on Vancouver Island to ban the use of shark fins, joining Port Moody, Coquitlam, in B.C., Calgary and four Ontario cities, in restricting the sale or use of fins.

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Edmonton

Alberta pipeline construction delayed

An energy company has decided to delay construction of a portion of pipeline through a community garden near Edmonton so growers can harvest their vegetables.

A spokeswoman for Plains Midstream Canada says work on the oil pipe has been pushed back to Oct. 1. About 70 people gathered Tuesday at the garden just north of the city to ward off bulldozers set to rumble through the area later this week.

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Winnipeg

Cellphone repair shops raided

Four cellphone repairs shops in Winnipeg have been searched by the RCMP for allegedly selling counterfeit or knockoff cellular components and accessories. Police estimate the retail value of the parts at well over $100,000.

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19 scavenging bears killed this year in Whitehorse

Environment Yukon. Officials trying to educate locals on methods for keeping bears away from their municipalities

A bear scavenging garbage in Whitehorse, Yukon, this summer. KRIS GUSTAFSON/TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

Nineteen hungry bears have had to be shot and killed so far this year in Whitehorse and almost as many trucked into the bush because of careless homeowners, the head of environmental enforcement says.

"It's distasteful" to have to shoot a bear in the head, Kris Gustafson said on Wednesday.

He has been attempting to school Yukoners in the simple method of keeping bears off their porches: lock down your garbage.

This year in particular, though, the message isn't getting through and the bears are hungrier. A cool spring has meant a sparse berry crop, Gustafson said.

"I couldn't tell you how many complaints we've had," he said: "A far greater number than in past years."

Not a pleasant solution

"At first blush, it seems like a pleasant end to a conflict story, but you're moving an animal from its home, where it knows how to forage and obtain shelter and water."

Kris Gustafson
The manager of enforcement and compliance for Environment Yukon

The manager of enforcement and compliance for Environment Yukon warned that capturing and moving the bears might seem a good idea, but it doesn't always work as they invariably try to return home.

The usual scavengers are teenaged male black bears, but this year all types and sizes are trying to dine off discarded human food.

Gustafson himself uses a bungee cord to lock down his bins.

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Repentant Japan recalls WWII, seeks forgiveness

Nation's PM mourns the dead. His message: 'We have caused tremendous damage and pain to many countries ...'

Family members and relatives of war dead lay flowers during a memorial service in Tokyo on Wednesday. SHIZUO KAMBAYASHI/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Japan marked the 67th anniversary of its Second World War surrender with a sombre ceremony in the capital Wednesday.

Prime Minister Yoshihiko Noda mourned the war dead and apologized to victims of Japanese wartime atrocities.

"We have caused tremendous damage and pain to many countries, particularly the Asian people, during the war," Noda said.

"We deeply regret that and sincerely mourn for those who were sacrificed and their relatives. We will not repeat the same mistake."

Emperor Akihito, whose father made the unprecedented 1945 national radio address announcing the war could not be won, also offered prayers for the dead.

Meanwhile, there are tensions between Japan and its neighbours. Tokyo was angered by a recent visit by South Korean President Lee Myung-bak to contested islands in the Sea of Japan.

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Thai customs officials stand next to a line of ivory that was confiscated and shown at a news conference in Bangkok, Thailand, in this photo taken on July 17. According to Thai and foreign law enforcement officers, Thai customs officials work hand-in-hand with ivory traffickers to ensure that other shipments through Suvarnabhumi International Airport are whisked off before they even reach customs inspection. APICHART WEERAWONG/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

In this photo taken June 2, 2011, a Thai customs officer shows an Indian gharial, a type of crocodile, with its mouth tied at a news conference on wildlife seized in Bangkok, Thailand. APICHART WEERAWONG/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

A young Indian roofed turtle crawls on the fingers of a customs official in this 2011 photo. APICHART WEERAWONG/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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Top dogs of wildlife trafficking slipping through the cracks

Smuggling. Kingpins appear to be taking advantage of corrupt cops and officials

Squealing tiger cubs stuffed into carry-on bags. Luggage packed with hundreds of squirming tortoises, elephant tusks, even water dragons and American paddlefish. Officials at Thailand's gateway airport proudly tick off the illegally trafficked wildlife they have seized over the past two years.

But Thai and foreign law enforcement officers tell another story: Officials working-hand-in-hand with traffickers ensure that other shipments through Suvarnabhumi International Airport are whisked off before they even reach customs inspection.

It's a murky mix. A 10-fold increase in wildlife law enforcement actions, including seizures, has been reported in the past six years in Southeast Asia. Yet, the trade's Mr. Bigs, masterful in taking advantage of pervasive corruption, appear immune to arrest and continue to orchestrate the decimation of wildlife in Thailand, the region and beyond.

And Southeast Asia's honest cops don't have it easy.

"It is very difficult for me. I have to sit among people who are both good and some who are corrupt," says Chanvut Vajrabukka, a retired police general. "If I say, 'You have to go out and arrest that target,' some in the room may well warn them," says Chanvut, who now advises ASEAN-WEN, the regional wildlife enforcement network.

Several kingpins, says wildlife activist Steven Galster, have recently been confronted by authorities, "but in the end, good uniforms are running into, and often stopped by bad uniforms. It's like a bad Hollywood cop movie."

Recently, Lt. Col. Adtaphon Sudsai, a highly regarded, outspoken officer, was instructed to lay off what had seemed an open-and-shut case he cracked four years ago when he penetrated a gang along the Mekong River smuggling pangolin.

This led him to Mrs. Daoreung Chaimas, alleged by conservation groups to be one of Southeast Asia's biggest tiger dealers. Despite being arrested twice, having her own assistants testify against her and DNA testing that showed two cubs were not offsprings from zoo-bred parents as she claimed, Daoreung remains free and the case may never go to the prosecutor's office.

Daoreung is the spouse of a police officer.

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Shady deals

- Officials interviewed at the airport, one of Asia's busiest, acknowledge corruption exists, but downplay its extent.
- Another shortfall in the system is the multiple agencies that often don't co-operate or share information.
- Each with a role at Bangkok's airport: the police, national parks department, customs, immigration, military and CITES, all of which regulate international trade in endangered species.

Endangered animals

China the top consumer of illegal goods

The issue of animal smuggling is prevalent elsewhere in Southeast Asia, the prime funnel for wildlife destined for the world's No. 1 consumer — China — where many animal parts are consumed in the belief they have medicinal or aphrodisiacal properties.

Most recently, a torrent of rhino horn and elephant tusks has poured through Asia from Africa, which suffers the greatest slaughter of these two endangered animals in decades. Vietnam was singled out last month by the World Wide Fund for Nature as the top destination country for the highly-prized rhino horn.

Tens of thousands of birds, mostly parrots and cockatoos plucked from the wild, are being imported from the Solomon Islands into Singapore, often touted as one of Asia's least corrupt nations, in violation of CITES, the international convention on wildlife trade.

According to TRAFFIC, the international body monitoring wildlife trade, the imported birds are listed as captive-bred, even though it's known that the Pacific Ocean islands have virtually no breeding facilities.

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Women virtually untapped in beer market: BMO report

What women want.
Looking for low-cal, light beer, expert says

It's been mostly a man's world when it comes to beer.

Women are a big, untapped market for North American beer brewers as they face more competition from wine and spirits and specialty craft brewers, says a Bank of Montreal report.

"At this juncture, 80 per cent of beer sales are sold to guys," said David Rinneard, national manager of agriculture at BMO.

What women want is low-calorie, lighter-flavoured beer and beer-based beverages, he said Wednesday from Toronto.

Brewers will appeal to female sensibilities with these niche products along with commercials and marketing targeted at women, he said.

On the wagon

Per-capita consumption of beer remains flat in Canada and has fallen in the United States, the bank's study said.

- One of the challenges ahead for the North American brewing industry is the scorching temperatures this summer that could push up prices.
- Prices for barley, wheat and, to a lesser extent, hops have been going up.

"They're making a diligent effort and attempt to go after that new market."

Calories also are "unquestionably" a factor in getting women to drink more beer, Rinneard said, adding men can also be calorie conscious.

Traditionally, women weren't pursued by brewers because they didn't need the market with the "prosperous" and defined market of male beer drinkers, Rinneard said.

Beer for women is starting to make some inroads. "Chick Beer" is an American craft-brewed beer specifically aimed at women and boasts just 97 calories, 3.5 carbs per bottle and 4.2 per cent alcohol.

For the calorie conscious, there's Molson Ultra with 2.5 grams of carbohydrates, 97 calories and 4.5 per cent alcohol.

As wine and spirits affect beer consumption and the population ages, brewers have to look for other growth opportunities, Rinneard said.

"In essence, they're competing for a defined or limited amount of stomach space, if you can call it that."

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Samsung shooting for Apple

Baz Luhrmann, a movie writer, director and producer, discusses on Wednesday at a news conference how he has recently been using a Samsung Galaxy Note 10.1. Samsung Electronics Co.'s release is the latest shot at the dominance of Apple's iPad with a tablet equipped with a digital pen and a faster processor at the same price tag. The Wi-Fi-only version of the Galaxy Note 10.1 will go on sale in the U.S. on Thursday. MARK LENNIHAN/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Patent infringement

Lululemon takes Calvin Klein to court

Trendy yoga-gear maker Lululemon Athletica Inc. is suing Calvin Klein Inc. for patent infringement over similar body-hugging pants.

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STUDY SAYS WE'RE SILLY GOOSES

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A couple of enlightening new surveys released this month show that many Canadians are oblivious, dog-like fools. None of the articles written about the studies started that way, mind you, but I think the news was buried.

What the stories did say was that many Canadians — myself included — manage their money with all the success of Research in Motion. Roughly half of us have no emergency savings, and a good chunk of young people plan to retire early but haven't actually started saving, you know, money.

Some of the reasons youth gave for not saving are a little baffling, as if I just made them up or something:

- 40 per cent: Plan to cash out their World of Warcraft gold, ignoring the fact that Mario coins have barely appreciated in value.
- 33 per cent: Have "liked" Retirement Savings on Facebook multiple times and don't know what more they could possibly do.
- Five per cent: Have access to the Fox News channel, assumed socialist welfare state would cover costs.

Freedom fuddled

"Frankly, a survey saying we're bad with our money isn't that shocking. What's shocking is a group of people so out of touch that they believe they're going to retire early despite having no money."

Frankly, a survey saying we're bad with our money isn't that shocking. What's shocking is a group of people so out of touch that they believe they're going to retire early despite having no money.

It'd be one thing for a survey to show, say, that Canadians are overweight and unhealthy. But if the same survey showed that obese, chain-smoking Canadians had plans to compete at Rio, we might start questioning our mental-health system, too.

Not that I can be too critical.

I personally always keep several thousand dollars in my mattress for when the McRib comes back. But other than that, I am a typical, cash-confused Canadian.

My emergency savings consist of a jar in my apartment where I throw pennies, so that once it's full enough I can complain about how useless pennies are. A penny saved is a waste of time, I always say.

As for retirement, I plan to die retroactively at 27.

In other words, I feel Canada's financial pain. Or more specifically, I don't feel it, which is the problem.

This is where we're like dogs. If you have a dog and he eats your food while you're out, you know it's pointless to discipline him because the crime and the punishment are too far apart, and he'll wonder why you're suddenly upset that he's licking himself for the 27th time that day.

As with global warming, we don't see the negative consequences right away so we can't do the right thing.

It would be helpful if ATMs jolted you with 10,000 volts at every withdrawal, or if our credit cards were designed to give us nasty paper cuts.

Maybe if the bank teller scratched us behind the ear and told us we were good every time we made a deposit, we'd do it more often.

If any banks start doing this, please let me know. I'll be in your debt. And if my track record holds, most likely forever.

Want to plan for retirement with no money? Ha! ISTOCK

Philippines turns into Venice

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Stormy weather

Natural disasters return to islands

Tropical storm Kai-Tak is battering the Philippines, with the islands still recovering from the last deadly storm just a week ago. Many roads are knee-deep in water and at least four deaths have already been confirmed. Forecasters are hoping that Kai-Tak will be out of the Philippines by the end of the week. **METRO**

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Manila Mayor Alfredo Lim

Worst Philippine storms

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- **Parma.** Killed 465 people and caused over $600 million US in damage in 2009.
- **Fengshen.** Not as strong but impact worsened by poor forecasting; it killed over 1,300 people when it struck in 2008.

Coping methods

Finding ways to survive floods

The Philippines is hit by an average of 20 storms per year, and the locals have found ways to adapt. During storms hundreds of thousands of people move into evacuation centres including schools, gymnasiums and government buildings. In the coastal areas, many homes have to be repeatedly rebuilt. **METRO**

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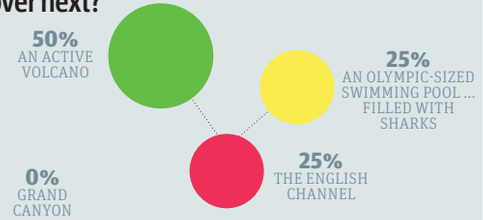

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This is heartbreaking #marineland

@kimkhb:
#marineland Couldn't finish @TorontoStar article this morning, so distressing. Shut it down, get those animals into proper sanctuaries asap!

@catrionasalman:
This is awful - looking fwd to seeing what #Marineland does to address this.

@miss_molly_moo:
It's been a hell of a day.

@mohsinmahida:
Congrats to felix hernandez on the perfect game #mlb #Mariners

@Citybrarian:
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See you in (Bloor)court

Festival. Event aims to parade the neighbourhood's evolving character

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Most Torontonians would agree that this is a city of neighbourhoods. Koreatown, the Danforth, the Beach — each has its own character and annual street festival to promote it.

But some hoods, like the ever-evolving Bloorcourt region, don't fit the standard mould; stretching from Montrose to Dufferin, you'd be hard pressed to pin an ethnicity of food or type of business that defines the area.

"Bloorcourt has no ethnic identity," says Antonia Yee, chair of the Bloorcourt Business Improvement Area, the group behind this Saturday's second annual Bloorcourt Arts & Crafts Street Fair. "But it's an extremely liveable neighbourhood. All the services you could possibly need are here."

It's been a long walk to Bloorcourt's current incarnation. "This area has seen a lot of comings and goings and changes," says Yee.

Prior to migrating East to the Danforth, the region was home to the city's Greek population, and a few Greek social clubs remain. There's been an ebb and flow of Ethiopians and Eritreans over the years, evidenced by some of Bloor's more exotic culinary options, and prior to the construction of the Dufferin Mall, the street was a high-end shopping area.

Yee says that Bloorcourt today isn't necessarily a destination for Torontonians, but Saturday's Street Fair aims to emphasize the character of the area while remembering to "give the business to the local businesses," as opposed to hiring outside vendors.

Many restaurants will see their patios extended into the street, while a stage at Roxton and Bloor, organized by coffee hub Saving Gigi, music mag Exclaim, and record label SonaBlast! — all based in the neighbourhood — will feature area indie acts like Indian Handcrafts and Eamon McGrath.

"We want to celebrate the changing neighbourhood that we have," says Yee, "and bring in people that don't normally shop on Bloor Street."

You'd be hard-pressed to find an ethnicity, food or type of business that defines Bloorcourt. CONTRIBUTED

Court vs. Dale

Bloorcourt and Bloordale are often mistaken for one another, if not outright assumed to be one and the same. Not so, says Yee. The two neighbourhoods boast separate BIAs, with Bloorcourt's boundaries running from Montrose to Dufferin, where Bloordale begins and runs to Lansdowne. "They're actually fairly similar neighbourhoods," she admits, pointing to the slow-growth style of gentrification that's gripped both stretches of Bloor. Predictably though, she has a soft spot for her own Bloorcourt. "Bloordale had a boost from artists and artist businesses first," she says. But with galleries beginning to open up on the east side of Dufferin, "that's evened out a bit."

Details

- Bloorcourt Arts & Crafts Street Fair — Saturday, Aug. 18, from 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. between Dufferin and Montrose. bloorcourt.com.

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On the web

Evelyn Lozada's rep says star has filed for divorce from Chad Johnson after arrest

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Twitter eruption. Charlie Sheen returns to social media to some fanfare

Charlie Sheen is back on Twitter and TV. FREDERICK M. BROWN/GETTY IMAGES

CASSANDRA GARRISON
Metro World News

He couldn't stay away for more than a month. Though our favourite tiger-blood-filled celeb made a highly publicized exit from Twitter, he's re-joined the social network just in time to promote himself.

Charlie Sheen showed signs of life Wednesday on his Twitter account, which has more than 4 million followers, to let everyone know his father will be guest starring this Thursday on his show Anger Management — and, of course, we should all tune in.

"It's on! My pop guest stars Thursday on Anger Management. Watch my dad show up as my dad 9:30 p.m. on FX. Best yet!!" Sheen tweeted.

He attached a photo of himself with his dad, Martin Sheen. The two are yukking it up over a couple of beers.

Sheen hasn't tweeted since July 13 when he told followers, "reach for the stars everyone. dogspeed cadre. c out."

The cryptic message mystified fans who eventually interpreted the tweet as Sheen's resignation from Twitter. The Twittersphere rejoiced at his re-entry today.

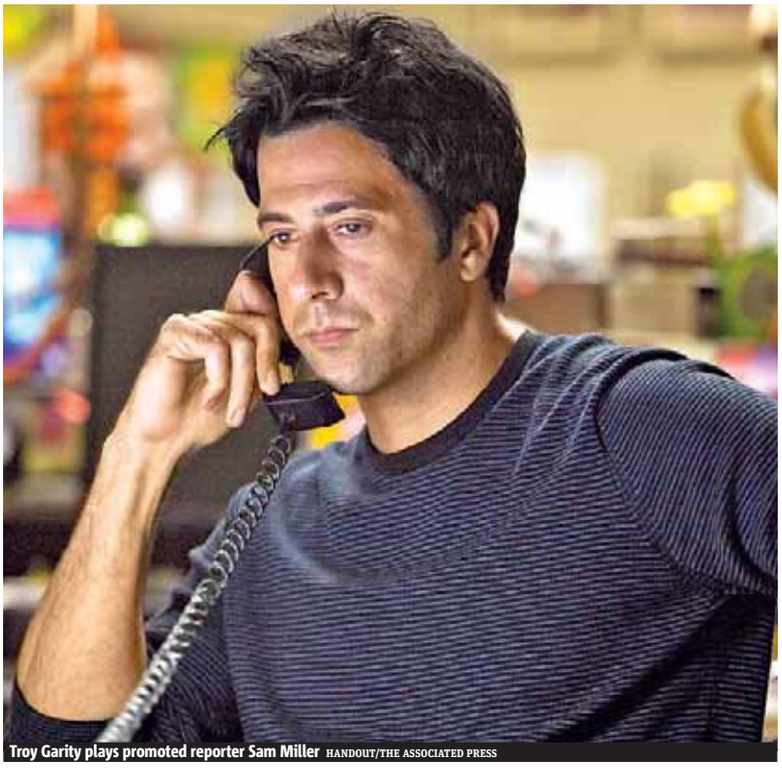
"Charlie!!!! We love you here in Greece!!!" one fan tweeted.

"omg your back on! Watched Anger Management yest & was great!!" another said.

But if Sheen wants to keep his reputation as a High Priest Vatican Assassin Warlock, he's going to have to tweet better than this.

Hating the good guy the norm on Boss

Drama series. Troy Garity clashes with series star Kelsey Grammer in a show set in Chicago's political minefields



Troy Garity plays promoted reporter Sam Miller HANDOUT/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Troy Garity has identified four pillars of American life: the Government, the People, People with Money, and the Press.

At least, this theory serves him nicely on his Starz drama series Boss, where Garity plays a crusading newspaper editor who locks horns with the towering title character, Chicago Mayor Tom Kane, portrayed by series star Kelsey Grammer.

Garity relishes his role as Sam Miller, who, promoted from reporter for the scrappy Sentinel last season, now runs it.

"I'm a good source of agitation and conflict with our hero, the evil mayor," he says, even as he marvels at Kane's charismatic hold on the show's fictitious citizens and viewers alike.

"I'm actually doing the right thing," declares Garity. "But I'm vilified by the audience because I'm trying to take down the person the audience is rooting for."

In short, Sam Miller has a worthy adversary. As Boss begins its second season (Friday), Kane remains a titanic figure of charm, defiance and corruption. But at the same time human frailties haunt him, mostly in the form of a degenerative brain disease he is hellbent on hiding from the world.

"We're taught that we need to be in control of our lives," says Garity. "But however ruthless you are in cementing that control, there's always a higher power that can put you on bended knee."

Quote

"I'm actually doing the right thing. I'm vilified by the audience because I'm trying to take down the person the audience is rooting for."

Troy Garity
Talking about the show The Boss.

So the central question of Boss is this: How much longer can Tom Kane prevail, and what toxic cocktail of forces — his illness, his political foes, moneyed interests who feel he's betrayed them, his fractious family, the dogged Sam Miller — will finally spell his downfall?

"The mayor's under siege from all fronts," says Garity, almost as pleased with this glorious foil as with the actor who plays him (Grammer "is so professional and, considering how dark the show is, so light and giving.")

As it happens, Garity has firsthand knowledge of the political world and the glare of the press that inform Boss. Though he bears the surname of his paternal grandmother, his mother is Jane Fonda, the Oscar-winning actress, political activist and lifelong lightning-rod for the right. His father is Tom Hayden — activist, former California state senator and one-time member of the Chicago Eight.

"My father thinks I'm playing him," laughs Garity.

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Action stars lamenting stuntman's on-set death

Expendables 2. As a lawsuit looms, the flick's biggest stars talk about the risks their stunt doubles take

Quote

"I could see like post-traumatic stress for a month after. Because he was very close to dying. It made us all realize that yeah, it is a dangerous business. You have to watch your steps."

Dolph Lundgren
Talking about his stuntman getting injured on set.

The veteran action stars of The Expendables 2 say a stuntman's on-set death served as a reminder of the danger behind building big-screen thrills.

Sylvester Stallone, Bruce Willis and Arnold Schwarzenegger star in the film, which plays as a throwback to their 1980s heyday.

The actors emerge unscathed from massive, bloody shootouts to crack wry one-liners, including some recycled from their own decades-old blockbusters.

The film was also distinctively old-school in its approach to action, using minimal computer effects in favour of stunt work and real explosions.

Stuntman Kun Liu, 26, was killed during one such sequence while filming at a dam last year in Bulgaria.

Mixed martial arts fighter-turned-actor Randy Couture said the death during the second-unit shoot "changed the mood on the movie for a couple weeks, for sure."

Stallone, who also co-wrote the script, told reporters this week in London that there had been deaths during two of his previous films and "it's never easy."

Co-star Dolph Lundgren said in an interview that his stunt double was seriously hurt in the same explosion, which he called a "major accident."

"I could see like post-traumatic stress for a month after. Because he was very close to dying," Lundgren said of his double, who was hit in the eye by a piece of iron. "It made us all realize that yeah, it is a dangerous business. You have to watch your steps."

Couture and actor Terry Crews said there was no thought of closing down the film after the death.

"Stuntmen take these wonderful risks every day, like police officers, like firemen. It would be a shame to not finish," Crews said. "And we kind of galvanized around that. That was a big moment for all of us, where we were like, 'Let's go.'"

At the end of the credits, the film is dedicated to Kun Liu's memory.

But the stuntman's parents have sued Millennium Films and the movie's stunt co-ordinator, Chad Stahelski, claiming they were reckless in the preparations, training and execution of the stunt.

"That is a nice and thoughtful gesture to the decedent and his family, but certainly it does not absolve the responsible parties of his death," said Bill Karns, an attorney representing Zong Yu Liu and Yan Mei Bai.

Stahelski and Elizabeth Wolfe, a spokeswoman for Millennium Films, have declined comment on the case.

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LET THE MUSIC MOVE YOU

FOR A SPONTANEOUS NIGHT OF ENTERTAINMENT

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City and Colour

Jason Mraz

As a Montrealer born and bred, I must confess, I love Toronto in the summertime.

Sometimes you just have to get out into the city and romp like you did when you were 19. Especially if you are 19.

The great thing about downtown Toronto is that you can uncover inspiration through the music, art, theatre, or some busker juggling flaming melons on a unicycle.

When the weather permits, the time-honoured dinner and a show is best enjoyed alfresco, making restaurant patios and outdoor entertainment venues an über-popular choice for the sophisticated urban mingler.

Every year, I plan a series of spontaneous outings that all end with a live concert at the Molson Canadian Amphitheatre.

When I am the designated driver, I park at Ontario Place. But on the more typical occasion when I sense an impending "mojito-fest," I am not above hopping the Harbourfront 509 streetcar. I can enjoy a cool breeze and a view of the water at spots like Rectory Cafe or Splash before taking in a show like Wiz Khalifa, Florence and the Machine, or the Black Keys.

Roxette

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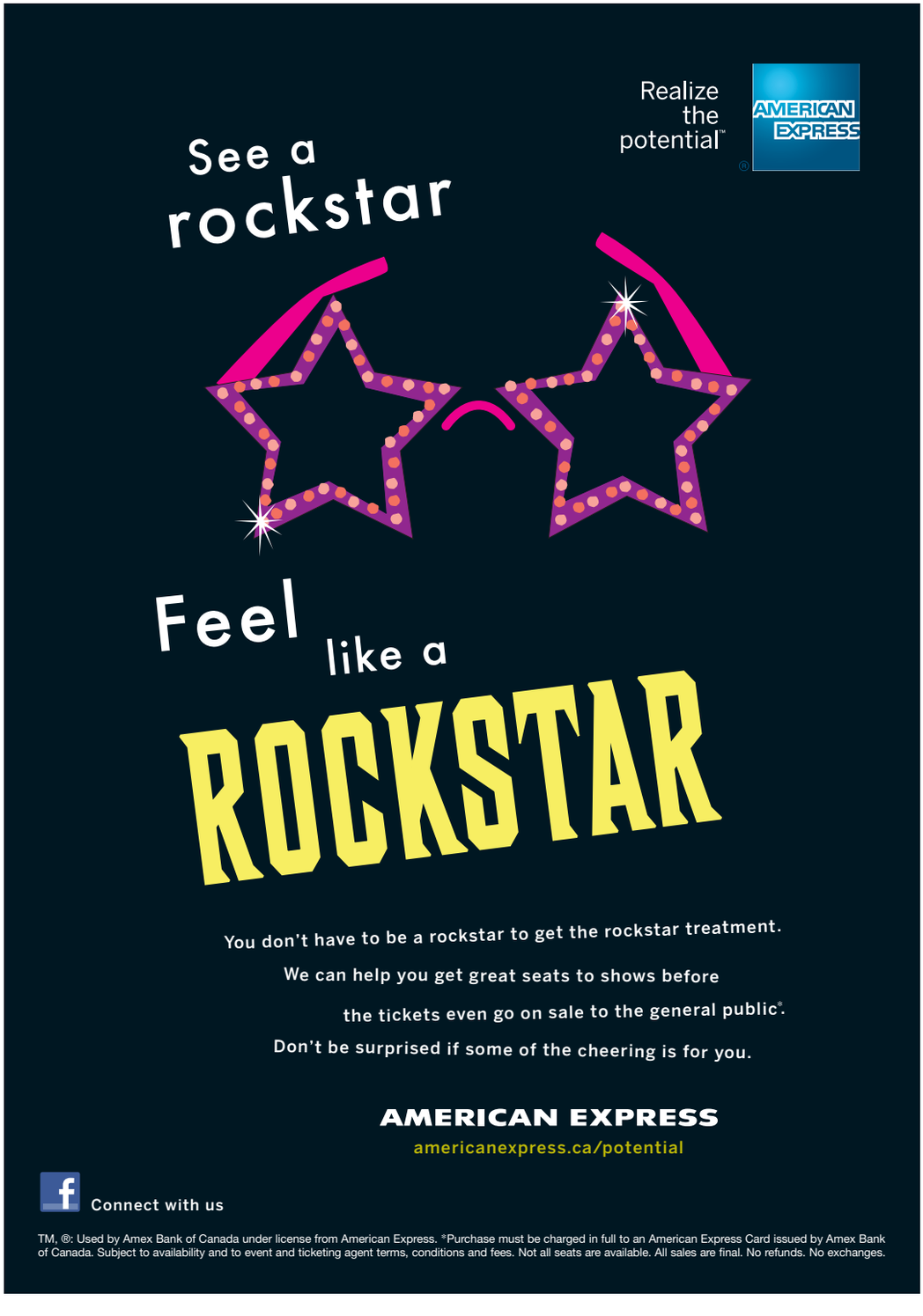
Mobile technology allows me to make last-minute decisions and the *Front Of The Line*® benefit on my American Express Card gets me access to some great seats. But sometimes savouring the music "Woodstock-style" from the open lawn is just as satisfying. When invigorated by the performance, a nightcap at the Distillery District is a good option. Sometimes I'll hop a cab to Queen Street West for a drink or some funky window shopping. Along the way, I can stop to watch a street performer attempt an acoustic version of Flo-rida's Good Feeling, or LMFAO's Sexy and I Know it.

Either way, it's all about good friends sharing great experiences in a clean and beautiful city, and making memories we can tell our kids about, while leaving out all the truly good parts.

– Mike Benhaim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Let's talk about sex, baby

The birds and the bees. Jane Fonda pens books explaining sex to teens but botched talk with own kids

Jane Fonda will turn 75 later this year. DARREN CALABRESE/THE CANADIAN PRESS

After releasing a book last year that explored sexuality at an older age, Jane Fonda says she's just about finished penning new material geared toward young people who are curious about sex.

The 74-year-old bombshell, activist, feminist and workout-tape guru says she's nearly wrapped a book aimed at middle-school-aged kids and another for teens in high school.

Fonda runs two Georgia-based non-profits dealing with adolescent sexuality and reproductive health, and says she's surprised by the attitudes about sex she's encountered.

"I've spent a lot of time with kids and with parents and it's just stunning how little they know and how nervous parents are about talking," Fonda told The Canadian Press in a telephone interview, noting that how and when the books are released will be up to her publisher.

"There's a lot of books about plumbing and how everything works, but ... I talk about sexuality in the context of identity. That it isn't just about intercourse, that to be human is to be sexual. There's nothing dirty or weird about it, and it's important to understand it very deeply."

And yet, she admits she missed her opportunity to talk to her own kids about sex.

"I did very badly as a parent," Fonda said. "I was not good. I think I was a few years too late. But I didn't know enough at the time — that it's not about waiting and then having the quote-unquote big talk. You have to start young, when they're young, and in an age-appropriate way to begin to talk about things sexual so it's no big deal.

Quote

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Jane Fonda

"And you create an environment where your children feel comfortable coming to you with questions. If they feel that you're nervous, which you tend to be if you wait to have the big talk, they won't come to you.

"Be what's called an askable parent," she added.

Fonda speaks so frankly and with such apparent ease about a topic typically taboo in celebrity interviews, it's easy to see why she took so strongly to her forthright character in the new film, And If We All Lived Together, originally released in France with the title, Et si on vivait tous ensemble?

The two-time Academy Award winner portrays the candid, compassionate Jeanne, one of a close-knit cluster of retired Parisians struggling with how to spend their final years.

Jeanne is secretly coping with a fatal diagnosis while tending to her Alzheimer's-afflicted husband (Pierre Richard). Soon, the pair and three long-time pals dealing with serious issues of their own decide to move in together in a stately French estate to fortify their support network.

The role in the subtitled film represents Fonda's first French-speaking performance since she graced the screen in Jean-Luc Godard and Jean-Pierre Gorin's political drama Tout va bien in 1972.

Fonda, whose first husband was French filmmaker Roger Vadim, speaks the language fluently but still worked with a dialogue coach to get her lines just right.

Asked why she accepted the part, Fonda says the film represented a linguistic challenge she cherished.

"I have a bucket list, OK, and one of the things on the bucket list was to do at least one more French film before I die," Fonda said.

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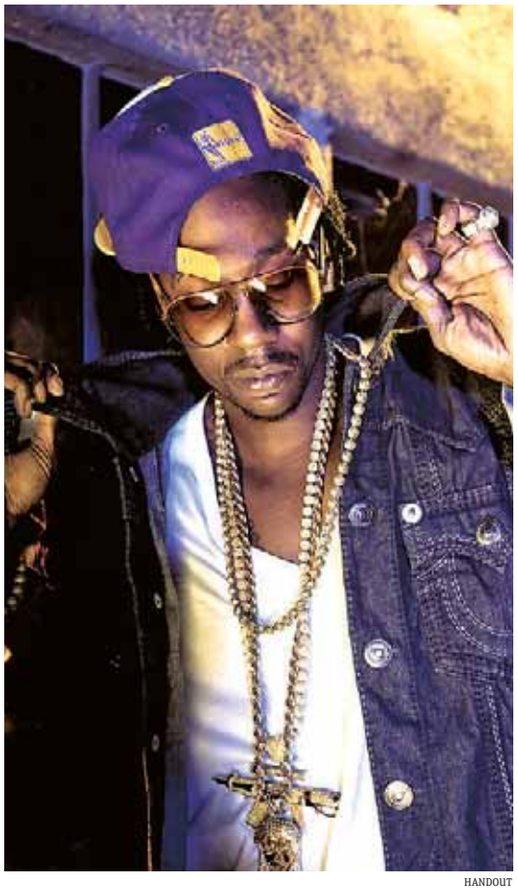
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‘I JUST HAD TO DO OR DIE’

Rapper 2 Chainz looks to build on revived career with solo debut and top-level collaborations

Rapper 2 Chainz took some major risks two years ago when he bolted from Ludacris’ Disturbing tha Peace record label, changed his stage name and left a group to pursue a solo career.

The Atlanta-based rapper, initially known as Tity Boi, scored big as a member of the rap duo Playaz Circle with the Lil Wayne-assisted 2007 hit Duffle Bag Boy. But the group’s debut album barely sold 100,000 units, and their follow-up, 2009’s Flight 360: The Takeoff, debuted at No. 74 and didn’t launch any hits.

“I figured if I was going to do bad, I’d rather be bad all by myself,” 2 Chainz said in a recent interview. “Even when I had a deal, I was paying out of pocket ... I was already funding videos, doing my mixtapes. You rarely get money out of labels, except for when they open up a budget for a project. Other than that, it’s a do-or-die type thing. So, for me, I just had to do or die.”

Taking the risk to go solo is finally paying off.

A pair of successful mixtapes helped 2 Chainz consistently book concert shows and land guest appearances on hit songs, including Kanye West’s No. 1 rap smash Mercy and the Nicki Minaj single Beez in the Trap. He also joined Minaj on her U.S. summer tour.

Now the rapper is hoping to capture audiences on his own with his solo debut, Based on a T.R.U. Story, released this week. The first single, No Lie, features Drake and is currently No. 1 on Billboard’s R&B/Hip-Hop songs chart. The album features top acts like West, Minaj, Lil Wayne, John Legend, Scarface and The-Dream.

You had a sliver of limelight in 2007, you fell into obscurity and now you’re rising — a rare sequence for a rapper’s career. What do you attribute to your revived image?

I just worked harder than anyone else. There was no formula. I can’t tell you a particular story or a contract I signed. My mind-set of just grinding it out, a lot of sleepless nights, thinking and praying a lot. The number of cities I was able to play in. The timing. Those combinations have helped get me to where I’m at today.

You had a lot control as an independent rapper. Now, you’re signed to Def Jam Records. Why make the move when you were achieving so much independently?

When I left DTP, I wanted to do things on my own. I wanted people to respect my mind. I wanted people to respect some of my ideas. The independent route was the best move for me. But I think I’ve maximized everything I could do independently. I’ve done everything out the mixtape market. I think getting the big machine behind you is the next stage when you’ve maximized the independent level.

How did you end up collaborating with A-List acts like Kanye West, Drake and Nicki Minaj?

I had already been communicating with them. I’ve known Drake for five years. Me and Drake were on tour with Lil Wayne when Drake was fresh off the TV show (Degrassi: The Next Generation). A lot of people don’t know that. I’ve known Lil Wayne for a decade. I’ve had respect with them and in the hip-hop community. I just had to figure out a way to connect the dots with them and the fans.

With the community, I was cool. I was networking, hooked up with DJs. I was just being a people’s person.

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Foxy Brown. Star breaks her silence as she joins Nicki Minaj on stage

Nicki Minaj performs on NBC's Today show. CHARLES SYKES/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Nicki Minaj's New York City concert featured the usual suspects like her mentor Lil Wayne and label mate Drake, but it was another guest appearance that was really striking: rapper Foxy Brown.

Brown joined Minaj onstage Tuesday night at the Roseland Ballroom. Before she took the stage, Minaj said she wanted to introduce "the female rapper who influenced me the most."

As Brown entered, the crowd of nearly 3,000 roared. She performed three songs from her last album, 2001's Broken Silence.

"Broken Silence changed my life," Minaj said. "I always loved Foxy. When she put out Broken Silence, I knew she was an innovator."

The Queens-based Minaj added that although Brown is "crazy sometimes," she's also ahead of her time.

"There aren't any other female rappers who have opened doors for me than you," Minaj said, looking to Brown and quickly adding: "You and Lauryn (Hill)."

Brown, the Brooklyn-born feisty rapper, has released three successful albums, but she's seen her career wane after criminal charges on a probation violation led to time behind bars. But Brown said she's returning to music, thanks to Minaj.

"I'm coming back," Brown yelled. "My sister's making sure. I'm coming back."

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Quote

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Nicki Minaj

Cee Lo Green helps NFL create new intro

Thursday Night Football. Singer uses social media and crowd sourcing to add splash of colour to bland backdrop

Cee Lo Green is taking over the NFL Network's Thursday Night Football intro. CHRIS PIZZELLO/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Cee Lo Green's about to shake up the NFL.

Green is taking over the NFL Network's Thursday Night Football intro, and in typical fashion for the flamboyant rapper-singer he's putting his own spin on things.

Rather than the traditional artist-centred pre-taped opener, the NFL and Green are inviting fans to submit videos of themselves singing along to the chorus of a song based on The Ramones' Blitzkrieg Bop.

"I think this brings a splash of colour to a, you know, bland and black-and-white backdrop," Green said. "And make it colourful and make it fun and make it young. Make it exciting and highly enthusiastic, you know what I'm saying?"

Beginning with the Sept. 13 Thursday Night Football season opener between the Green Bay Packers and Chicago Bears, fans of each team can submit videos of themselves singing along to the chorus of the new song, I Love Football.

Green said the crowd-sourcing feature of the "Fanthem" helps make the intro exciting and young. It's designed to help the league's effort to increase its social media presence.

Brian Lockhart, the NFL Network's co-ordinating producer of features and production design, says shows like Green's The Voice and other entertainment programs have had great success in marketing in untraditional ways on the Internet. Previous NFL prime-time intros have been focused on individual performers like Faith Hill and Hank Williams Jr., who split with ESPN's Monday Night Football last year.

"And I don't think sports has really taken a chance, especially broadcast sports hadn't taken that opportunity to go beyond maybe just having a Facebook page or a Twitter page — 'Hey, post a question here,'" Lockhart said. "We wanted to do something that went from broadcasting to fans and became more about engaging with fans."

Lockhart said the NFL hopes Fanthem, produced by @radical.media, will reproduce the feeling fans in a stadium have when they suddenly see themselves on the Jumbotron.

The intro also helps Green continue his genre-smashing ways.

"I call it accommodatingly ambiguous," he joked of his ability to effortlessly cross lines. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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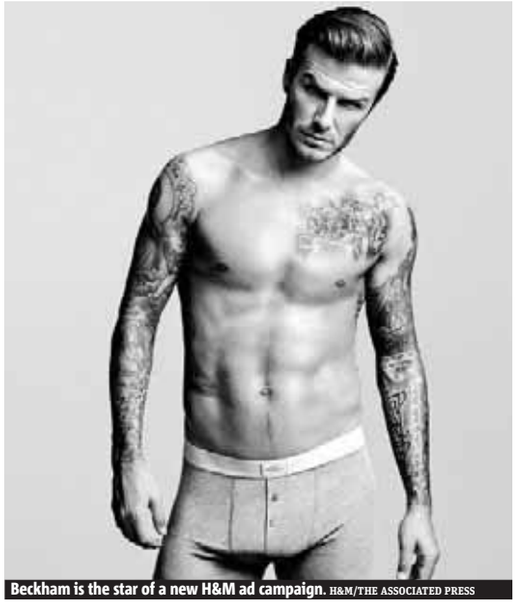

Beckham is the star of a new H&M ad campaign. H&M/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

David Beckham says he's in the underwear game for the long haul, looking forward to advancing his bodywear partnership with H&M.

The English soccer star's second set of ads for his branded collection launches Thursday. The ads will coincide with a "statue stunt" planned by the retailer with larger-than-life Beckhams going up in New York, Los Angeles and San Francisco.

New products will be added to the collection later this fall. Beckham says he's pleased with consumer reaction to the line and its ad campaign. "I'm very happy that so far people seem to like it and the first season was incredibly successful. The challenge is to keep it going and establish a brand that will last many years. That is my ambition," he wrote in an email to The Associated Press.

Beckham, 37, was a champion of the London Olympics that just wrapped up, and literally drove the torch to Olympic Stadium in a boat.

"I was incredibly honoured to be part of the team that helped bring the Olympics to my home borough, city and country. I always knew we would put on a fantastic event but it has exceeded even my most optimistic expectations," he says.

Beckham had hoped to play for Britain's soccer team at the games but he wasn't included in the squad.

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David Beckham on the H&M campaign

Surf's up for Shatner's Priceline Negotiator

Comeback. Company brings back beloved ad character in new campaign

Seven months after a commercial showed Shatner, as the Negotiator, plunging off a cliff and into apparent oblivion, the company is resurrecting him. SUSAN SMITH/PRICELINE.COM/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

William Shatner's Priceline Negotiator isn't a goner, after all. He just went surfing.

Seven months after a commercial showed the Negotiator plunging off a cliff and into apparent oblivion, the company is resurrecting him in a new 30-second TV and online spot set to debut Thursday.

A clever parody of a world-weary spy who vanishes to start a new life, the commercial opens with Shatner standing on a beach, gazing somberly at the ocean. A company man (actor Allan Louis) approaches him.

"You've been busy for a dead man," he tells Shatner. "After you jumped ship in Bangkok, I thought I'd lost you."

"Surfing is my life now," replies Shatner, who is formally dressed in a business suit, shirt and tie. But his pants legs are rolled up and he's got a surfboard tucked under his arm.

The Negotiator, ignoring entreaties to resume work, neatly manages a Priceline plug ("even faster, easier ways to save money" on travel) before dashing toward the Malibu waves.

Turns out Priceline just couldn't do without him.

"We had such a positive response to the ad where we appeared to throw him over a cliff that we wanted to find a creative way to bring him back," said Brett Keller, chief marketing officer for Priceline.com.

When last seen, the Negotiator was rescuing vacationers from a bus teetering on a bridge's railing. "Save yourselves — some money," he said, handing off his cellphone as he and the bus tumble into a dry creek bed. A violent explosion followed.

When the spot first aired in January, the company didn't know if or how the Negotiator would return, and neither did Shatner, Keller said.

The new ad from the Butler, Shine, Stern & Partners agency doesn't address how the Negotiator survived, but Shatner, 81, offers his preferred fantasy: "A beautiful girl gave me mouth-to-mouth resuscitation."

Whatever it took, the new ad reverses a flawed decision to throw the Negotiator under the bus, according to Shatner.

He's played the pitchman for six years and has done Priceline spots for about 14 in all.

"I knew it was a mistake, absolutely," he said.

Agreed, said Peter Sealey, adjunct professor at the Claremont Graduate University's school of management and former marketing head for the Coca-Cola Co.

Sealey had granted Priceline leeway when it gave the Negotiator the heave-ho. He reasoned that the company was changing its business model from "a name-your-price model to a fixed-price approach," and the pitchman seemed to speak to the past.

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"You don't give up equity like Priceline had in Shatner. ... It's like Aflac giving up the duck"

Claremont Graduate University school of management adjunct professor Peter Sealey on the Priceline bringing back Shatner's Negotiator character.

In retrospect, Sealey said, "You don't give up equity like Priceline had in Shatner. ... It's like Aflac giving up the duck or Progressive (insurance) giving up Flo," he said. Shatner's return "won't correct a bad earning report, but it is the right move."

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No sequel for Stewart

While Rupert Sanders might still get to direct a follow-up to Snow White and the Huntsman, star Kristen Stewart reportedly won't be taking part, according to the Hollywood Reporter.

While a planned second film was set to follow Stewart's Snow White, studio Universal is now re-conceiving the sequel as a spin-off focusing on Chris Hemsworth's Huntsman.

"The studio is currently exploring options to continue the franchise," a Universal spokeswoman says. Sanders and Stewart made headlines when they acknowledged they'd been having an affair last month, though it's unclear if that situation had anything to do with the studio's decision.

Jean-Claude Van Damme

Van Damme cheated on wife with Kylie Minogue

Nearly 20 years later, Jean-Claude Van Damme confirms that yes, he did in fact cheat on his then-wife, Darcy LaPier, with singer Kylie Minogue while filming Street Fighter, according to the Guardian.

"Yes, yes, yes. It happened," Van Damme tells the newspaper. "It would be abnormal not to have had an affair, she's so beautiful and she was there in front of me every day with a beautiful smile, simpatico, so charming. She wasn't acting like a big star."

As for a more detailed recollection?

"You should ask her," he says. "She'll have a better memory. I'm 51 years old. Do you know how much I was punched in the face on The Expendables?"

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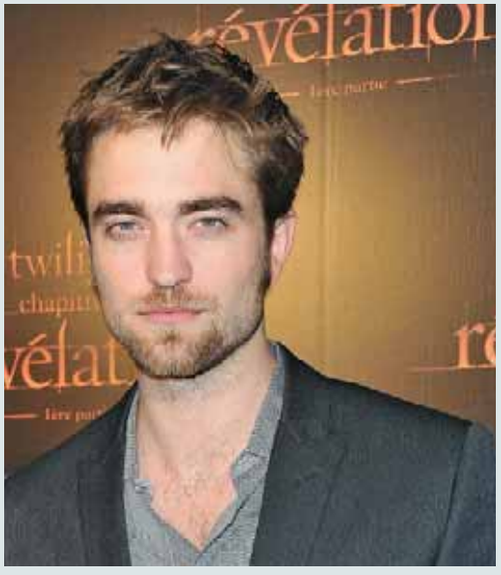

Pattinson dodging break-up questions

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With his latest film, Cosmopolis, set to hit theatres Friday, Robert Pattinson — who has never been one to talk about his personal life — has been at the mercy of the media.

He eased into things Monday with The Daily Show, where Jon Stewart playfully offered him a pint of break-up Ben & Jerry's before obediently asking him about the film that no one cared about.

But Good Morning America host George Stephanopoulos wasn't about to let dignity get in his way yesterday morning.

After Pattinson didn't voluntarily offer any details about how he's coping after the Kristen Stewart cheating scandal, Stephanopoulos pressed, "What do you want your fans to know about what's going on in your personal life?"

Pattinson finally offered some insight: "I'd like my fans to know that Cinnamon Toast Crunch is just 130 calories."

We're pretty sure this is as close as we're ever going to get to eating breakfast with Robert Pattinson. And we'll take it — even if that is one skimpy little bowl of Cinnamon Toast Crunch.

Jennifer Aniston. ALL PHOTOS GETTY IMAGES

Aniston's rocking a major rock

Jennifer Aniston has been hiding her engagement ring, but that won't stop us from talking about it. According to Life & Style, fiancé Justin Theroux is significantly poorer this week.

"It's a huge emerald-cut diamond," a "friend" of the couple tells the magazine of the eight-carat rock.

"It's a rectangle with tapered diamond baguettes on the sides."

We already feel creepy talking about this, so sure, let's go for broke: Angelina Jolie is wearing a similarly-cut engagement ring from Aniston's ex, Brad Pitt.

Miley seems proud of new hairdo

Miley Cyrus has caught some flack for the drastic bleach-blond haircut she debuted on Twitter this week, but she's not taking it seriously.

In fact, she's taken to tweeting inspiring affirmations.

"Self love is the greatest of all flatterers," she posted Monday, while the next day she followed up with "Energy flows where our intention goes. Create your day," accompanied by a picture of the pixie-haired singer lounging in bed.

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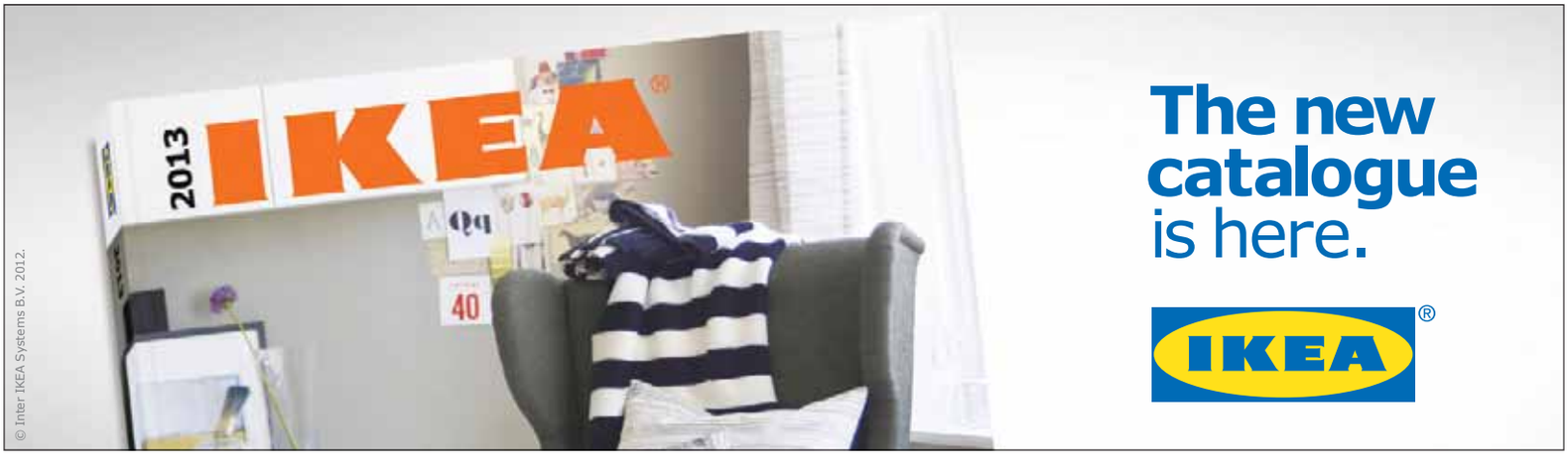

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@JeffreyLuscombe
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@Jeanne_Beker
Hmmmm. Guess I should start taking trains more often!

@KarleighSergio
Your luggage should be function but you should always dress in style!

@Jeanne_Beker
Agreed!

@shine2u
Style.All style! Especially train travel

@Jeanne_Beker
Yeah--it is rather romantic after all.

@Whatsinmypurse
i think you can have both! Love function but would never give up style ...maybe compromise a wee bit

@Jeanne_Beker
I definitely think compromise is key--to all kinds of situations!

@charlottenurse
I have 3 hardshell suitcases from the 50s that I LOVE but are so impractical :(

@Jeanne_Beker
Tell me about it! We'll have to see how my daughter fares with hers...

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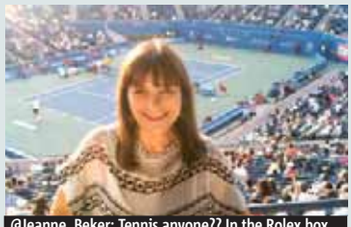

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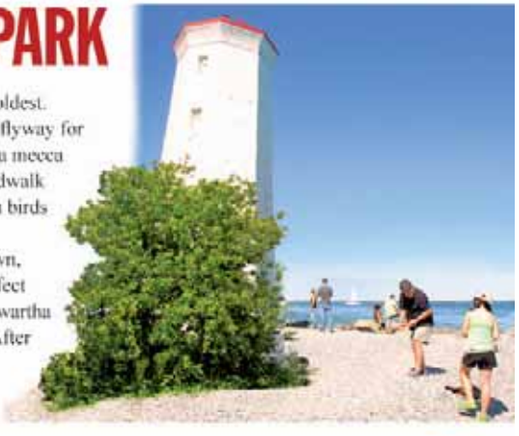

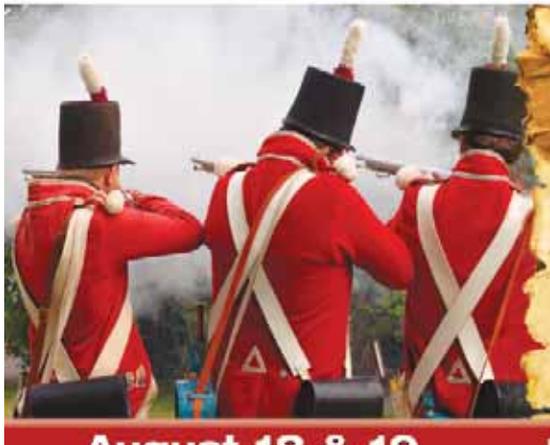

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The fashion world gets a little more fierce

Project his-way. Style star Christian Siriano wants everyone to know what's in store

MARY ANN GEORGANTOPOULOS
Metro World News in New York

Christian Siriano is making it work. The colourful Project Runway Season 4 winner just opened his first retail location in Lower Manhattan.

The 1,000-square-foot boutique isn't just filled with over-the-top ruffled gowns — there's a little something for everyone, insists the designer.

"The whole idea is to have a place existing customers can shop, while getting new customers," Siriano says.

"I want to familiarize different people with the brand."

In order to do so, the 26-year-old is featuring a mix of price points. Shelves display pieces from Siriano's luxurious main line, shoes from his affordable collection for Payless, exclusive accessories such as clutches and wallets, and home decor the antique lover designed himself.

A welcoming environment also was key for the designer, who included a cozy fireplace and seating area in the back of the boutique.

"Designer stores can be intimidating. I want everyone to feel comfortable going in. I didn't want it to be too stuffy," he says.

That's not to say there isn't panache.

A wall painted stark black features large framed photos of looks from Siriano's collections he's most proud of — including the skirt Sarah Jessica Parker recently wore in a photo shoot for Marie Claire.

A dramatic chandelier hangs in the fitting room, and a fake zebra skin rug greets customers.

"I wanted it to feel like home," Siriano says. "Glamorous, sexy and elegant."

Christian Siriano GETTY IMAGES

Welcome one and all!

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Christian Siriano

Christian's key pieces

Three fall must-haves

- **LBD — with a twist.** "If you're going to have a great black dress, the fabric should be interesting," Siriano says. "Things to look for include textures and shine."
- **A leather jacket.** "It's important. It's a staple."
- **Red, red wine.** "I'm really into this beautiful burgundy wine colour," says the designer. He gives his stamp of approval to party dresses, day dresses and blouses in the colour.

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Jennifer Lawrence's portrayal of Katniss Everdeen in The Hunger Games has inspired many a creative coiffe. LIONSGATE, MURRAY CLOSE/ THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Unafraid to braid

Weave and leave.
Braid bars are offering a quick twist to a long-lasting trend

A staple of the stylish grade-school set, braids have moved from the playground to the red carpet and now, local salons.

Salons from Los Angeles to New York and cities in between are weaving "braid bars" into their services, offering special menus of different braid styles for a fixed price.

Danielle Maddox, 25, a Chicago personal trainer, made an appointment at the Braid Bar at Maxine salon for a look to transition from work to a date night with her boyfriend.

Stylist Cliff Freeman, who incorporates techniques from crochet and knitting classes into braids, twisted Maddox's hair into three French braids for a polished, finished look.

"It's nice to have a cute, low-maintenance style I can have for a couple days," Maddox said. "I can sleep on it."

Owner Maxine Kroll started offering the service in June after clients kept asking for braids. She transformed the retail area inside the salon's front door with a sleek white table and silver sign for her 'bar.'

Small containers on the table are filled with bobby pins, hair clips and rubber bands and sit next to hair spray and combs.

Stylist Cliff Freeman braids the hair of Danielle Maddox, 25, at Maxine salons Braid Bar in Chicago.
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Hair

"Everybody started to wear braids in more modern and different ways. It's not your traditional braid. It's a modern take on it."
Jenna Goldate

A menu offers cord braids, French braids, waterfall braids and herringbone or fishtail braids.

Each service is $30, and clients are out of the chair in 30 minutes or less. The goal is to make a braid a fashion accessory, like a woman's shoes or purse, Kroll said.

"We can't escape it," she said. "It's in fashion. It's in Hollywood. It's in every magazine. There's going to be a braid in everything we look at for a while."

Starlets like Rihanna, Blake Lively, Jessica Alba, Lea Michele and Scarlett Johansson have been spotted recently sporting braids. Perhaps the most influential trendsetter, however, is The Hunger Games' fictional heroine Katniss Everdeen, played by Jennifer Lawrence, who wears her hair in an intricate side braid throughout the film that was a huge springtime hit.

About a half-dozen dedicated stylists do between 40 and 50 braids a week at John Barrett Salon in New York. The salon opened its braid bar in June 2011 and offers a menu with nine braids. At first stylists at John Barrett thought the braid was just a fleeting trend or easy summer style, but then it blew up, salon spokeswoman Jenna Goldate said.

"Now we're really seeing it everywhere," Goldate said. "Everybody started to wear braids in more modern and different ways. It's not your traditional braid. It's a modern take on it."

Ivy Salon in Greenville, S.C., launched its braid bar the opening weekend of The Hunger Games in March.

"The kickoff really and truly was The Hunger Games, the Katniss braid, but I think that was just a rejuvenation of interest in braids," salon director Jayma Carter said. "It's taken off."

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Bison Sliders: Grilled eats with Native touch

Bison is a tender, lean red meat alternative. CHRIS CHIDSEY

An enthusiastic educator and entertainer, Chef David Wolfman, is an internationally-recognized and award-winning expert in wild game and traditional Aboriginal cuisine.

He is also the executive producer and host of Aboriginal Peoples Television Network's popular Cooking With the Wolfman program, on which he displays his signature Aboriginal Fusion.

Wolfman shares his delicious recipe for Bison Sliders, which you can serve up on a traditional hamburger bun with all your favourite condiments.

Ingredients

- 500 g ground Bison meat
- 5 ml each of rosemary, thyme and chives, chopped finely
- 125 g wild rice, cooked
- 2 med eggs
- 5 ml Dijon mustard
- 15 ml chili paste
- salt and pepper to taste
- 50 g bread crumbs
- 20 ml olive oil

1. In a bowl mix the ground Bison meat, herbs and wild rice, then add the eggs, Dijon, chili paste, bread crumbs, salt and pepper and mix well. Form into small patties and chill for 30 minutes.

2. In a sauté pan, heat the oil, place the patties, cook until they are brown, turn over and repeat.

3. Remove from pan and place into the oven and cook until the internal temp is 165 F.

4. Serve on slider buns and with a salad such as a Jicama Slaw. Garnish with sliced tomato and spinach greens. Enjoy! **RECIPE COURTESY OF CHEF DAVID WOLFMAN/ PLANET INDIGENUS FESTIVAL**

Three Sister Relish. Tasty condiment

This recipe makes six 250 ml jars. MARLENE FINN

1. In a stainless steel bowl, combine corn, zucchini, onions, peppers and salt, and mix well. Cover and let stand for 6 hours. Strain mixture, rinse and let drain.

2. In a stainless steel pot, combine zucchini mixture with beans, sugar, vinegar, tumeric, nutmeg, jalapeno and horseradish. Bring to a simmer and allow it to do so for 40 to 50 minutes, stirring occasionally. Do not let all the liquid evaporate.

3. Sanitize jars, lids and all canning instruments. Then fill hot jars with hot relish, leaving about 1 cm of headspace. Remove any air bubbles and fill if necessary. Wipe rims, place sterilized lids on center of each jar. Screw band on jars, tighten firmly.

4. Place jars in canner, make sure that cans are adequately covered with water. Bring to a boil and process for 15 minutes. Turn off and let rest in water for 10 minutes. Remove jars and store, do not disturb for 1 hour.

5. Serve the Three Sister Relish on Buffalo patties.

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Ingredients

- 1 corn on the cob, roasted, cooled and removed from husk
- 5 medium zucchini
- 3 medium yellow onions, diced
- 1 red pepper, diced
- 1/2 green pepper, diced
- 3 tbsp pickling or canning salt
- 10 oz black beans (canned drained and rinsed)
- 1 1/4 cup granulated sugar
- 1 1/4 cup white vinegar
- 1 1/4 tsp nutmeg
- 1 1/4 tsp turmeric
- 2 tbsp horseradish
- 1/2 jalepeno pepper dice

Planet IndigenUS Festival

Until Sunday, Harbourfront Centre celebrates the largest contemporary Indigenous cultural festival in the world. Highlights include cooking demos and a panel discussion about food-related topics.

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- **Sizes.** From 560 to 906 sq. ft.
- **Pricing.** From $318,900 to $503,400

The project overview

These new ten-storey boutique condominiums by Greenpark Homes are located in a vibrant urban setting at Yonge and Davisville. They feature a private street carriageway entrance and classic suites with nine and ten foot ceilings and convenient retail shopping at street level.

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In the neighborhood

Located between two high-energy centres at Eglinton and St. Clair means that shops, restaurants, live music and theatre venues are all within walking distance. Bordering the neighbourhood is the popular Belt Line trail, a 4.5 km system of tree-lined trails.

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Those of you who read the last edition of Rooftop Surfing were given a brief overview of the similarities and differences between Toronto and Hong Kong, illustrating how learning from the success and failures of others is a great way of making educated decisions and, in turn, building great cities. This week, I will write about another one of the world's high-rise capitals — Chicago.

A city well-known for its architecture, particularly for its soaring towers, Chicago is the third-largest city in the United States. In fact, its skyline plays home to the country's two tallest towers — the Willis Tower (better known by its former name, the Sears Tower) and the Trump Tower Chicago.

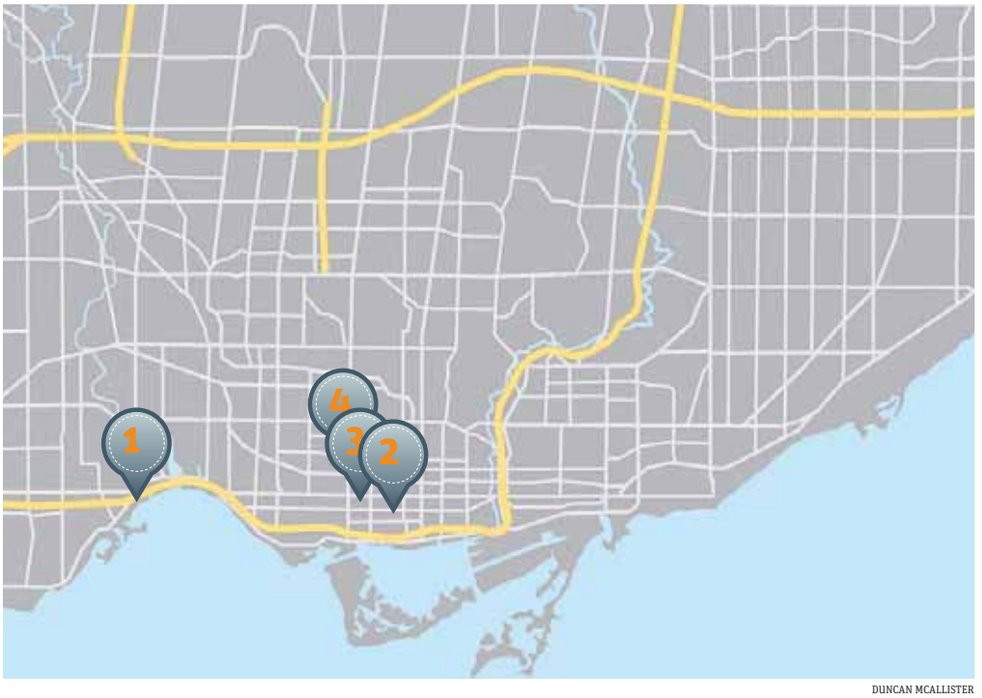
Standing 442 metres high, the Willis Tower is the tallest building in the Western Hemisphere, although Torontonians can still boast that the CN Tower is still the West's tallest free-standing structure at 553 metres in height. As for the Trump Tower, the real estate mogul has recently erected one in Toronto as well, albeit at 277 metres, our version falls short of the 423 metres reached by its Chicago counterpart. Nonetheless, Trump tower is the second-tallest skyscraper in Canada and the tallest mixed-use building in Toronto.

After the Great Chicago Fire of 1871, the city experienced the largest building boom in U.S. history, later resulting in one of the world's tallest and densest skylines which now features a mix of historic commercial skyscrapers and new residential towers.

What really stands out about the Chicago skyline is the individuality in each of the buildings. To this date, the architecture in the city continues to impress both the general public and industry pros. No doubt one of the most impressive examples of recent innovation is Aqua — an 82-story mixed-use residential tower in the city's downtown core. Completed in 2010, the tower is most recognizable for its unique look, featuring wave-like balconies. Already a winner of several awards, it is also the tallest building in the world designed by a woman, which is a good fit for a city known for innovation.

I suppose it is the GTA equivalent of Absolute World — better known as the Marilyn Monroe Towers for their hourglass-shaped exteriors. Completed between 2010 and 2012, these instantly recognizable buildings have become a landmark in Mississauga. It's hard not to draw parallels between Chicago and the GTA, and as I look back a full decade, I can't help but notice how far we have come to building great cities.

What's hot on the condo market



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Open house

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Small space design tricks

Design centre. Making a tiny condo look bigger

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I live in a small, open-space condo. The living, dining room and kitchen feels like one room. How do I define each space? Can I do it with a few different paint colours?

If you want to make a small, open space feel larger, paint it all one neutral colour.

Keep in mind that you are painting one large room so the colour has to be rich enough to hold the entire space together. Use furniture arranging, art, mirrors and rugs to help define individual areas.

Go neutral with the long-term items like paint colour, soft furnishings and a dining table while add trend-setting colours in pillows, area rug and artwork.

Tall leaning mirror

In long, narrow spaces a tall sturdy mirror will help visually widen the area and reflect natural light deep into a dark area. Place a large mirror behind the dining table to help open up a tight area. There's no better value than Ikea's Mongstad mirror; at over three feet by six feet in size, the hefty frame can be painted a trendy colour or left its neutral brown/black. Mongstad Mirror, $99, Ikea.ca

Round table, $1485, casalife.com

A 42-54" round pedestal table is the perfect choice for in an open concept dining area. The round shape is easy to walk around (no corners to bump into) and the pedestal base offers more flexibility when seating guests. Casa Life's TAHA table fits the bill; its glass top and shiny stainless base reflects light and offers up a modern yet airy appearance.

Warm grey paint colour

Choose a trend-setting warm grey paint colour as a neutral backdrop to your furnishings and artwork. Don't be afraid to choose a darker tone. Benjamin Moore's Museum Piece CSP-40 is an excellent colour that will look good with almost anything.

Cedric Arm Chair, $549, UrbanBarn.com

Forego the traditional sofa and chairs for the living room and consider 4 matching club chairs for the space; creating a casual lounge feel will offer up more flexibility when you want to rearrange the room. The Cedric chair is a great choice as it is comfy and has trendy mid-century modern details like exposed wood and button detailing.

Zak Ryg, $1,250, crateandbarrel.com

A rug that acts as artwork will not only add colour and personality to a space but help ground and define the living area. The most popular sized rug is an 8x10 which always seems to fit into any room setting. The Zak rug from Crate and Barrel adds many trend colours to pull from.

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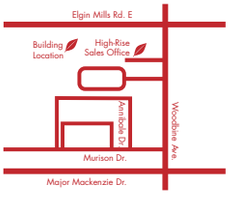

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In some areas in the city, builders are designing larger units with families in mind. ISTOCK IMAGES

Raising kids in a downtown condo: Is it viable?

Apartment trends.
'Transit, infrastructure, amenities, public services, it all has to keep up and catch up'

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A common lament with the downtown Toronto condo market is the lack of larger, family-friendly units. What are your options if you're a young couple about to start a family?

Michael Stolberg, a realtor with TheRedPin.com online brokerage, says that it's quite doable.

"I'm doing it and I have many clients who do it. Some people keep two kids in a bedroom until they grow to a certain age and then I guess they have to think about moving to a townhome."

Two weeks ago, his wife gave birth to a baby girl and they plan to raise a new family in their 1,200 sq. ft., two-bedroom plus one condo unit, located in a large Tridel building in Markham.

A plus one makes a great space for a kid's room. "My plus one is probably a little larger than my second bedroom, but you can't call it a bedroom because it doesn't have a window or a closet. Me, I gave up my second bedroom and gave that to my child and moved my office, couch and TV into the plus one," says Stolberg.

Brad Carr, the recently-appointed president of Canadian developer Monarch Group, says that in some areas around the city, builders are re-thinking their strategy and designing larger units with end-users in mind. "I think there are certain places where we might see the emergence of more family product quicker as opposed to some of the core downtown locations where it's still serving a very specific segment of the market."

A major concern for parents is the availability of nearby schools and daycare. In some communities, there's just no room left in the local schools to accommodate kids from the new developments. Carr says it will take time for the infrastructure to catch up.

"While the Toronto condo emergence has felt like a very long time, in the grand scheme of things we're still in the early stages of this conversion from more suburban living to more downtown living. All the things we talk about so much, of transit, infrastructure, amenities and public services, it all has to keep up and catch up."

Watch for new partnerships between schools and developers, as in the case of North Toronto Collegiate and Tridel's Republic condos. The 100-year-old school needed a facelift and sold land to Tridel in exchange for a new building incorporated into the condo complex.

Interest differential charge

Continuing with the same institution

We just closed the sale of our home on which we had used bridge financing to purchase our new home two weeks ago. On closing, our lawyer indicated that we have to pay an 'interest differential charge' of over $5000.00 on our old mortgage! This has set our heads in a tailspin because not only was our former mortgage, line of credit and bridge financing was with the same financial institution but our new mortgage is with the same bank.

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Basically, you were using the proceeds of your current home to help you purchase your new home. Generally, when you finance with your current mortgage company, they will forgo any prepayment charges if you continue with the same institution with your new mortgage. It sounds like you need to get on the phone with your mortgage specialist because this should not have happened. This must be an oversight within the bank — but an expensive one.

Eco-friendly options

Use peat-free products for your yard

Is peat moss an eco-friendly option for my yard and garden?
-Lesley of Edmonton

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Not really. In nature, peat accumulates at a rate of half to one millimetre per year! And harvesting peat moss is like mining — a top layer of earth is scrapped off. But when left intact, peat is like any wetland ecosystem; it purifies and stores water. It's also the single largest terrestrial storer of carbon.

Canada is the leading world peat producer. We currently mine about 270 million acres of peat bogs — primarily in Quebec and New Brunswick. The Canadian government requires that peat bogs be returned to functioning wetlands once extraction is complete (not unlike what they propose for the oil sands).

The moral of the story is, find other options. And from a gardener's perspective (which I am not) peat has little or no nutrient value, and it's poor mulch; it tends to dry out and even blow away.

Here's how to choose peat-free products:

- If the bag doesn't say peat-free, it probably isn't.
- Products with labels like "eco-friendly", "compost" and "organic" can contain peat.
- A high-quality peat-free material will typically be more expensive than you're used to.

What are the alternatives? First, choose native plants that are well-adapted to your region. By well-adapted, I mean they'll grow best in local conditions and moisture and have a natural ability to combat pests. Or, use compost.

It's one of the easiest, cheapest and most eco-friendly ways to improve your soil (especially if you make it yourself) and it contributes more nutrients than sterilized peat.

One downside is that most compost has high pH and high levels of nutrients — some plants will benefit more than others. Another newer alternative is coir, which is made of coconut-shell fibre — a byproduct of the coconut industry in Sri Lanka and India. It holds water and nutrients extremely well and has a pH suitable for all plants. The major downside is that it's shipped from far-away countries.

Compost is a good substitute for peat. ISTOCK IMAGES

In a perfect world, you should change your bed sheets every week. ISTOCK IMAGES

Getting the bedding

What kind of sheets should I buy for my master bed, how many do I need and how often do I need to change them? Diane B.

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Dear Diane B,

First, when you go shopping I don't want you to worry or stress about thread count.

Feel the sheets and remember the fabric has "sizing" (a combination of light glue and starch on them, making them stiff and look good in the retail store), so you really need to buy one sheet, wash it and sleep with it. I like sheets with "percale" in the summer. This is a closely woven smooth finish cotton. In the winter I love flannel sheets, and the best part of flannel for me is that they are warm on cold nights and don't need to be ironed! I personally don't recommend anything with polyester simply because they don't breath, so you are more likely to sweat in them and be uncomfortable.

Once you find a brand of sheets you like, you should have a minimum of two sets, and if budget allows, a third set. This way you have one set that is dirty, one on the bed and an emergency back up for spills, dogs, kids, life, etc.

And finally in a perfect world bed sheets should be changed weekly.

Remember the human body sweats a litre of liquid per night and the exfoliation of dead skin about every 21 days all accumulate in your bed, and bacteria/mites love to feed on this. Even if you don't have time to iron your sheets, change them often. You will sleep better and feel better in clean fresh cotton sheets.

And the colour? I personally only buy white sheets but colour, pattern and style is truly a personal choice.

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This image shows the floor that Atlanta artist Nancy B. Westfall painted in her daughter's room.
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The sixth wall: Bring your floors to life with paint

DIY ideas. You don't need to be an artist — though it does require some patience

When it became clear that allergies would prevent Nancy B. Westfall's infant daughter from having a rug in her room, the Atlanta-based artist turned instead to paint, a few stencils and a plan.

Westfall used the baby's bedroom floor much like she would a canvas, painting on it a diamond-shaped pattern that gave the space a custom look you simply can't achieve with a kid's area rug.

Eleven years and another house later, Westfall remains a big fan of bringing floors to life with colour instead of covering them up.

"They look pretty refinished, and they look even better painted," Westfall says.

You don't have to be a professional artist like Westfall to do it, although proponents of painting the floor say it does require patience and nerve.

Rachel Cannon Lewis, an interior designer in Baton Rouge, La., encourages clients to consider it. Painting a floor, whether it's wood or concrete, can be more affordable than tile, carpet or other floor coverings, she says.

And in homes that date back more than a century, painted floors are more historically accurate. Back then, people frequently painted their wide, plank wood floors to protect them from warping, Lewis says.

Plus, painting just looks good.

"I'm starting to think of the floor as the sixth wall," says Lewis, who considers floors "an overlooked opportunity to get creative and introduce colour." (The "fifth wall," by the way, is the ceiling).

Painting floors yourself can be a lengthy process, Lewis says, primarily because the thin, oil-based paint she recommends requires multiple coats, with lengthy dry times between each one. Getting fancier by, say, creating a pattern with paint or a stencil, requires even more patience and precision.

Even if you hire a professional painter, however, "You have to be willing to embrace the idea that it's going to be a different solution than what most people tell you to do," Lewis says.

"There are going to be friends that come over who don't get it, and your mom is not going to get it," she says. "But I love the notoriety that comes with pushing the envelope and going for it."

Painted floors are not as durable as some of the alternatives, especially in high-traffic areas, says Sidney Wagner, a Charleston, S.C., interior designer.

"Over time, even with polyurethane, they will show scratches and the paint will scratch off," she says. "However, a tip to help combat your floors from looking too shabby is to paint a contrasting layer of colour underneath. So when that second layer of colour comes through with the scratches, the marred floors will look planned with your colour scheme."

Carol Charny, a Larchmont, New York-based interior designer, says that painting floors requires a bit of throwing caution to the wind.

"You can do anything you want. The world is your oyster," she says. "You just have to disengage from fear."

In the home interiors shop she used to own, Charny used black and white paint to make the floor look like it was covered with an area rug, complete with fringe.

She warns that the margin for error grows with the complexity of the project. "You're not going to paint an Oriental rug," she says.

On the other hand, the beauty of using paint is that, if something goes awry, you can cover it up.

"You have to relax," she says. "It's only paint."

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NHL and players' union still worlds apart says Bettman

CBA. 'Number of issues' still unresolved with time running out

With one month to go before the NHL's collective bargaining agreement expires, the league and players seem no closer to a deal than when talks began in June.

In fact, the divide may have grown even further.

It took commissioner Gary Bettman less than 24 hours to conclude that the first proposal from the NHL Players' Association held little appeal for the owners.

"There's still a wide gap between us with not much time to go," Bettman said Wednesday in Toronto.

"I do think it's fair to say that the sides are still apart — far apart — and have different views of the world and the issues," he added.

The current CBA expires Sept. 15 and Bettman has made it clear that the league will enact a work stoppage if a new deal isn't in place by then.

On Tuesday, the union put forth a proposal that included a smaller percentage of revenues for players over the next three seasons in exchange for an expanded revenue-sharing program to help struggling teams. The NHLPA estimated that players would be giving up $465 million US in salaries if the league continued on its pace of growth each season.

Quoted

"It takes two sides to make a deal, it takes two sides to negotiate and it takes two sides if it all goes bad."

NHL commissioner Gary Bettman

However, that math didn't add up for the league.

"I think it's fair to say that we value the proposal and what it means in terms of its economics differently than the players' association does," said Bettman. "I think there still are a number of issues where we're looking at the world differently. I'm not sure that there has yet been a recognition of the economics in our world — and I mean the greater world and the sports industry, taking into account what recently happened with the NFL and the NBA."

Both of those leagues went through recent lockouts before ultimately seeing the players' share in revenue reduced. The NHL's initial proposal called for a significant reduction from 57 per cent to 43 per cent, when factoring in changes to the way revenue is calculated.

Under the NHLPA's offer, the difference would be much less significant.

Donald Fehr, the union's executive director, bristled at the parallels Bettman drew to other pro leagues— "every sport has its own economics," he said — and indicated that the gap in talks was actually created by the NHL's initial proposal in July.

"There's a pretty substantial monetary gulf which is there and when you start with the proposal the owners made how could it be otherwise?" said Fehr. "I mean consider what the proposal was: It is 'Let's move salaries back to where they were before the (2004-05) lockout started, back to the last time.' That's basically what it was."

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Timbers refuse to be chopped down in Toronto

Eric Hassli and Luis Silva celebrate Silva's go-ahead goal in the 63rd minute that gave Toronto FC a 2-1 lead against Portland on Wednesday night. The celebration was short-lived, though, as Darlington Nagbe silenced the BMO Field crowd with a goal in the 82nd to give the Timbers a 2-2 draw. CHRIS YOUNG/THE CANADIAN PRESS

4 SPORTS

Mobile sports

Things in Boston just keep getting worse. With the Red Sox sitting 12 1/2 games back in the AL East, rumours had been swirling about a player mutiny against manager Bobby Valentine. The drama forced club owner John Henry to try to dispel that notion on Wednesday. Scan the code for the story.

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Cabrera suspended 50 games for positive testosterone test

MLB. Giants outfielder leads National League in hitting and was All-Star-game MVP

This June 5 photo shows Melky Cabrera reacting after striking out against the San Diego Padres in San Diego. Cabrera has been suspended for 50 games without pay after testing positive for testosterone. LENNY IGNELZ/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS FILE

Melky Cabrera was suspended 50 games Wednesday following a positive test for testosterone, putting an abrupt end to what had been an MVP-calibre regular season and throwing the San Francisco Giants' playoff hopes into doubt.

Cabrera leads the National League in hitting. His penalty was the first for a high-profile player since last year's NL MVP, Ryan Braun, had his suspension overturned by an arbitrator last winter. The Braun case led to revisions in the drug agreement between owners and the players' association to better define procedures for handling the urine samples.

"My positive test was the result of my use of a substance I should not have used," Cabrera said in a statement released by the union. "I accept my suspension under the Joint Drug Program and I will try to move on with my life. I am deeply sorry for my mistake and I apologize to my teammates, to the San Francisco Giants organization and to the fans for letting them down."

Cabrera is batting .346 with 11 home runs and 60 RBIs in his first season with San Francisco and is five hits shy of 1,000 in his big league career. Flashing bright orange spikes, he singled and hit a two-run homer last month in the National League's 8-0 win in the All-Star game, earning MVP honours for the game and securing homefield advantage for the World Series.

Cabrera could still win the NL batting title. He has 501 plate appearances, one less than the minimum required to win a batting championship for a player on a team playing 162 games. However, under 10.22(a) of the Official Baseball Rules, he would win the batting title if an extra hitless at-bat is added to his average and it remains higher than that of any other qualifying player.

He will miss the final 45 games of the regular season and serve the remainder of the suspension at the start of next season or during the post-season, depending on whether the Giants make the playoffs and how far they advance.

Cabrera became the second Giants player to receive a drug suspension this season. Reliever Guillermo Mota was penalized for 100 games in May.

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Quoted

"He's a friend. I'm going to be there for him. I never talked to him about anything like that. Sad day."

New York Yankees second basemen Robinson Cano on Cabrera's suspension.

MLB. Hernandez finds perfection against Rays

Felix Hernandez was doused with water after throwing a perfect game Wednesday in Seattle. GETTY IMAGES

King Felix now has a crowning achievement.

Felix Hernandez pitched the Seattle Mariners' first perfect game and the 23rd in baseball history, overpowering the Tampa Bay Rays in a brilliant 1-0 victory Wednesday.

The 2010 AL Cy Young Award winner has long talked of his desire to achieve pitching perfection. He finally accomplished it against the Rays, striking out the side twice and finishing with 12 strikeouts.

It was the third perfect game in baseball this season — a first — joining gems by Chicago's Philip Humber against the Mariners in April and San Francisco's Matt Cain versus Houston in June. More than half of all perfectos — 12 — have come in the last 25 seasons.

This also was the sixth no-hitter in the majors this season, three of them at Safeco Field. Humber threw his gem in Seattle, then six Mariners pitchers combined to hold the Los Angeles Dodgers hitless at the park on June 8.

For the Rays, it was an all-too-familiar feeling. This was the third time in four seasons they had a perfect game pitched against them, following efforts by Dallas Braden in 2010 and Mark Buehrle in 2009.

"I don't have any words to explain this," Hernandez said to the crowd, speaking on the field after the final out. "I've been working so hard to throw one and today is for you guys."

With one out to go, Sean Rodriguez got ahead 2-0 in the count. Hernandez came back with two straight breaking balls for strikes and ended perfection with a called third strike on his 113th pitch.

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EPL

Van Persie heads to Man United

Manchester United is set to complete the signing of Robin van Persie from Arsenal on Thursday after the Premier League rivals reached an agreement over the sale of the Netherlands striker.

The Dutchman, who joined from Feyenoord in 2004, was the Premier League's top scorer last season with 30 goals. But he refused to sign a new contract with Arsenal, saying he wasn't happy with the direction the club was heading.

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Just who in the NFL could use Usain?

Usain Bolt, the 100- and 200-metre Olympic champion, has talked of branching out into soccer and even cricket recently. But would he consider taking his blazing speed to the gridiron? STU FORSTER/GETTY IMAGES FILE

Now that the Olympics are over, there's one very fast young man looking at one very long layoff before resurfacing in Rio in four years.

Hey, Usain Bolt! You want to play in the NFL?

Bob Hayes, gold-medal winner in the 100 metres at the 1964 Tokyo Games and dubbed world's fastest human, did it. So did Renaldo Nehemiah, world record-holder in the 110-metre hurdles, who missed the 1980 Moscow Games because of a U.S. boycott.

The world's fastest man has said he's interested in trying soccer, so why not American football?

"I don't know if he does or not (want to play), but if he does, you'd sure have to cover deep," said Buffalo Bills general manager Buddy Nix.

Here are three teams that could use a jolt of Bolt:

Miami Dolphins

With Chad Johnson gone, the Dolphins could use an attention-grabbing receiver right now, if nothing else than to keep viewers tuned in to HBO's Hard Knocks. Seriously, with Miami's receivers seemingly dropping more balls than they are catching, it might be worth seeing what Bolt could do.

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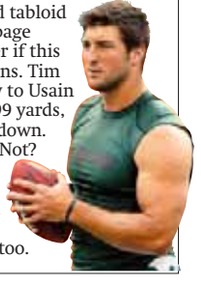
New York Jets

How can owner Woody Johnson or coach Rex Ryan resist? Guaranteed tabloid back page forever if this happens. Tim Tebow to Usain Bolt, 99 yards, touchdown. Cool? Not? Practice would be a blast, too.



New England Patriots

Randy Moss and Chad Ochocinco (now known as jobless Chad Johnson) played for Bill Belichick, and now the Pats are looking at former Giants and Jets wide receiver Plaxico Burress. Clearly, a big-play, big-name receiver is on someone's wanted list, so why not Bolt?

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MLB

AMERICAN LEAGUE

EAST DIVISION

	W	L	Pct	GB
New York	69	47	.595	—
Baltimore	63	53	.543	6
Tampa Bay	63	53	.543	6
Boston	57	60	.487	12½
Toronto	55	61	.474	14

CENTRAL DIVISION

	W	L	Pct	GB
Chicago	63	52	.548	—
Detroit	63	55	.534	1½
Cleveland	54	63	.462	10
Kansas City	50	65	.435	13
Minnesota	50	67	.427	14

WEST DIVISION

	W	L	Pct	GB
Texas	67	48	.583	—
Oakland	61	54	.530	6
Los Angeles	61	56	.521	7
Seattle	54	64	.458	14½

Wednesday's results
Detroit 5, Minnesota 1
Tampa Bay at Seattle
Boston at Baltimore
Texas at N.Y. Yankees
Chicago White Sox at Toronto
Oakland at Kansas City
Cleveland at L.A. Angels
Tuesday's results
Baltimore 7, Boston 1
N.Y. Yankees 3, Texas 0
Chicago White Sox 3, Toronto 2
Detroit 8, Minnesota 4
Kansas City 5, Oakland 0
L.A. Angels 9, Cleveland 6
Seattle 3, Tampa Bay 2
Thursday's games
Texas (D.Holland 7-6) at N.Y. Yankees (Nova 11-6), 1:05 p.m.
Boston (Buchholz 10-3) at Baltimore (Tillman 5-2), 7:05 p.m.
Chicago White Sox (Liriano 3-10) at Toronto (Laffey 3-3), 7:07 p.m.
Oakland (Straily 0-0) at Kansas City (Hochevar 7-10), 8:10 p.m.
Tampa Bay (Price 15-4) at L.A. Angels (Haren 8-9), 10:05 p.m.
Friday's games
Baltimore at Detroit, 7:05 p.m.
Boston at N.Y. Yankees, 7:05 p.m.
Texas at Toronto, 7:07 p.m.
Chicago White Sox at Kansas City, 8:10 p.m.
Cleveland at Oakland, 10:05 p.m.
Tampa Bay at L.A. Angels, 10:05 p.m.
Minnesota at Seattle, 10:10 p.m.

AL LEADERS

	G	AB	R	H	Avg.
Trout, LAA	94	381	91	130	.341
MiCabrera, Det	117	463	76	151	.326
Jeter, NYY	114	488	69	156	.320
Mauer, Minn	107	396	66	126	.318
Revere, Minn	81	341	45	108	.317
Konerko, ChiW	101	377	49	119	.316
Ortiz, Bos	89	320	65	101	.316
AJackson, Det	95	373	75	117	.314
Rios, ChiW	112	434	69	135	.311
Cano, NYY	116	454	74	141	.311

HOME RUNS - ADunn, Chi Sox, 33; Hamilton, Texas, 32; Encarnacion, Toronto, 30; Granderson, N.Y. Yankees, 30; Willingham, Minnesota, 30; MiCabrera, Detroit, 29; Trumbo, L.A. Angels, 29.
PITCHING - Weaver, L.A. Angels, 15-2; Price, Tampa Bay, 15-4; Sale, Chi Sox, 14-3; MHarrison, Texas, 13-7; Vargas, Seattle, 13-8; Sabathia, N.Y. Yankees, 12-3; Verlander, Detroit, 12-7; Darvish, Texas, 12-8.
Not including last night's games

NATIONAL LEAGUE

EAST DIVISION

	W	L	Pct	GB
Washington	72	45	.615	—
Atlanta	67	49	.578	4½
New York	55	61	.474	16½
Philadelphia	54	63	.462	18
Miami	53	65	.449	19½

CENTRAL DIVISION

	W	L	Pct	GB
Cincinnati	70	46	.603	—
Pittsburgh	64	52	.552	6
St. Louis	63	53	.543	7
Milwaukee	52	63	.452	17½
Chicago	46	70	.397	24
Houston	39	80	.328	32½

WEST DIVISION

	W	L	Pct	GB
Los Angeles	64	53	.547	—
San Francisco	64	53	.547	—
Arizona	58	58	.500	5½
San Diego	52	66	.441	12½
Colorado	43	71	.377	19½

Wednesday's results
Miami 9, Philadelphia 2
Chicago Cubs 7, Houston 2
Milwaukee at Colorado
Washington at San Francisco
L.A. Dodgers at Pittsburgh
N.Y. Mets at Cincinnati
San Diego at Atlanta
Arizona at St. Louis
Tuesday's results
L.A. Dodgers 11, Pittsburgh 0
Cincinnati 3, N.Y. Mets 0
Philadelphia 1, Miami 0
Atlanta 6, San Diego 0
Houston 10, Chicago Cubs 1
St. Louis 8, Arizona 2
Colorado 8, Milwaukee 6
San Francisco 6, Washington 1
Thursday's games
L.A. Dodgers (Blanton 8-10) at Pittsburgh (A.J.Burnett 14-4), 4:05 p.m.
N.Y. Mets (Harvey 1-3) at Cincinnati (H.Bailey 10-7), 7:10 p.m.
San Diego (Marquis 6-6) at Atlanta (Medlen 3-1), 7:10 p.m.
Philadelphia (Cl.Lee 2-7) at Milwaukee (Estrada 0-5), 8:10 p.m.
Arizona (Cahill 9-10) at St. Louis (Lohse 12-2), 8:15 p.m.
Miami (Nolasco 9-11) at Colorado (White 2-6), 8:40 p.m.
Friday's games
N.Y. Mets at Washington, 7:05 p.m.
Chicago Cubs at Cincinnati, 7:10 p.m.
L.A. Dodgers at Atlanta, 7:35 p.m.
Arizona at Houston, 8:05 p.m.
Philadelphia at Milwaukee, 8:10 p.m.
Pittsburgh at St. Louis, 8:15 p.m.
Miami at Colorado, 8:40 p.m.
San Francisco at San Diego, 10:05 p.m.

NL LEADERS

	G	AB	R	H	Avg.
McCutchen, Pgh	112	421	81	151	.359
MeCabrera, SF	113	459	84	159	.346
Votto, Cin	86	298	52	102	.342
Posey, SF	106	375	50	124	.331
DWright, NYM	112	415	70	134	.323
CGonzalez, Col	105	417	75	134	.321
Holliday, StL	113	432	75	136	.315
YMolina, StL	101	375	46	117	.312
Altuve, Hou	109	436	67	131	.300
Braun, Mil	108	418	73	125	.299

HOME RUNS - Braun, Milwaukee, 29; Beltran, St. Louis, 28; Kubel, Arizona, 25; Bruce, Cincinnati, 23; Holliday, St. Louis, 23; LaRoche, Washington, 23; McCutchen, Pittsburgh, 23.
PITCHING - Dickey, N.Y. Mets, 15-3; GGonzalez, Washington, 15-6; Cueto, Cincinnati, 15-6; AJBurnett, Pittsburgh, 14-4; Lynn, St. Louis, 13-5; Strasburg, Washington, 13-5; Hamels, Philadelphia, 13-6; Bumgarner, San Francisco, 13-7.
Not included including last night's games

TUESDAY

WHITE SOX 3, BLUE JAYS 2

Chicago	AB	R	H	BI	BB	SO	Avg.
De Aza cf	4	1	1	1	0	0	.282
Wise lf	4	0	1	1	0	0	.275
Rios rf	4	0	0	0	0	2	.311
A.Dunn 1b	4	0	1	0	0	0	.208
Youkilis 3b	4	0	1	0	0	1	.239
Pierzynski c	4	1	1	0	0	0	.298
Al.Ramirez ss	3	0	0	0	0	0	.260
Viciedo dh	3	1	2	0	0	0	.252
Beckham 2b	3	0	0	0	0	0	.224
Totals	**33**	**3**	**7**	**2**	**0**	**3**	
Toronto	**AB**	**R**	**H**	**BI**	**BB**	**SO**	**Avg.**
R.Davis lf	4	1	3	0	1	0	.263
McCoy cf-2b	4	1	0	1	1	0	.235
Encarnacion dh	4	0	1	0	0	0	.294
Cooper 1b	4	0	1	0	0	1	.286
Gose pr-cf	0	0	0	0	0	0	.188
Y.Escobar ss	4	0	1	1	0	0	.248
Sierra rf	4	0	1	0	0	1	.361
K.Johnson 2b	3	0	0	0	0	1	.230
Y.Gomes ph-1b	1	0	0	0	0	1	.173
Mathis c	4	0	1	0	0	1	.216
Hechavarria 3b	2	0	1	0	0	0	.136
Rasmus ph	1	0	1	0	0	0	.250
Vizquel pr	0	0	0	0	0	0	.213
Totals	**35**	**2**	**10**	**2**	**2**	**5**	

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Toronto	**101**	**000**	**000**	**—2**	**10**	**2**

E—H.Alvarez 2 (4). LOB—Chi 3, Tor 9. 2B—R.Davis (19), Cooper (8), Hechavarria (1). RBIs—De Aza (44), Wise (10), McCoy (4), Y.Escobar (38). SB—R.Davis 2 (35), Gose (6). S—Hechavarria.

Chicago	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	NP	ERA
Quintan W, 5-2	6⅓	8	2	2	2	4	105	2.77
Myers H, 4	⅓	0	0	0	0	0	3	0.79
Thornton H, 18	⅓	1	0	0	0	0	7	3.83
A.Red S, 21-24	1⅓	1	0	0	0	1	13	3.83
Toronto	**IP**	**H**	**R**	**ER**	**BB**	**SO**	**NP**	**ERA**
H.Alvarez L, 7-10	7	7	3	2	0	2	84	4.48
Loup	1⅓	0	0	0	0	1	17	2.65
Jenkins	⅓	0	0	0	0	0	5	0.00

T—2:31. A—18,919 (49,260).

BLUE JAYS STATISTICS

BATTERS	AB	R	H	HR	RBI	AVG
Sierra	32	4	12	1	3	.375
McCoy	13	2	4	0	3	.308
Encarnacion	408	71	120	30	80	.294
Cooper	115	13	33	4	10	.287
Lawrie	397	59	112	9	40	.282
Davis	277	48	71	6	32	.256
Escobar	423	50	105	7	37	.248
Rasmus	415	56	103	20	66	.248
Bautista	328	63	80	27	65	.244
Arencibia	281	36	68	16	50	.242
Johnson	392	50	91	13	43	.232
Lind	198	17	45	8	27	.227
Mathis	135	20	29	6	19	.215
Vizquel	108	10	23	0	3	.213
Gose	64	7	12	0	2	.188
Gomes	74	8	13	3	10	.176
Hechavarria	20	1	2	0	0	.100

PITCHERS	W	L	SV	IP	SO	ERA
Mathis	0	0	0	2.0	0	9.00
Jenkins	0	0	0	4.0	2	0.00
Lyon	1	0	0	10.0	20	0.90
Oliver	2	2	2	42.2	42	1.27
Janssen	1	1	15	45.2	46	2.36
Loup	0	2	0	15.2	10	2.87
Morrow	7	4	0	77.2	67	3.01
Villanueva	6	2	0	80.2	86	3.12
Perez	2	2	0	42.0	39	3.43
Lincoln	0	0	0	7.0	4	3.86
Frasor	1	1	0	36.0	45	4.00
Delabar	3	1	0	44.1	60	4.06
Alvarez	7	9	0	135.2	51	4.58
Hutchison	5	3	0	58.2	49	4.60
Drabek	4	7	0	71.1	47	4.67
Laffey	3	3	0	61.0	32	4.72
Romero	8	9	0	143.2	99	5.32
Happ	1	1	0	17.0	16	6.35
Santos	0	1	2	5.0	4	9.00
Coello	0	1	0	6.1	11	12.79

Not including Tuesday's game

SOCCER

MLS

EASTERN CONFERENCE

	GP	W	L	T	GF	GA	Pt
Kansas City	24	13	7	4	30	22	43
New York	24	12	7	5	40	34	41
Houston	24	11	6	7	35	27	40
Chicago	23	11	7	5	28	25	38
Montreal	26	10	13	3	36	43	38
D.C.	22	11	8	3	36	29	36
Columbus	20	8	8	4	20	21	28
Philadelphia	21	7	12	2	23	27	23
New England	23	6	12	5	26	29	23
Toronto	22	5	13	4	25	40	19

WESTERN CONFERENCE

	GP	W	L	T	GF	GA	Pt
San Jose	24	14	5	5	47	29	47
Salt Lake	25	13	9	3	36	30	42
Seattle	23	10	6	7	32	24	37
Vancouver	24	10	7	7	28	29	37
Los Angeles	25	11	11	3	43	39	36
Chivas USA	21	7	9	5	14	25	26
Dallas	25	6	11	8	29	34	26
Colorado	24	8	15	1	31	35	25
Portland	22	5	12	5	20	37	20

Note: 3 points for a win, 1 for a tie.
Wednesday's results
Los Angeles at Columbus
Portland at Toronto
Dallas at Vancouver
Saturday's games
All times Eastern
Vancouver at Seattle, 4 p.m.
Kansas City at Toronto, 4:30 p.m.
San Jose at Montreal, 7:30 p.m.
New England at Chicago, 8:30 p.m.
Chivas USA at Colorado, 9 p.m.
Dallas at Salt Lake, 9 p.m.

GOLF

WEEKEND GLANCE

WYNDHAM CHAMPIONSHIP
Site: Greensboro, N.C.
Schedule: Thursday-Sunday.
Television: Golf Channel (Thursday, 3-6 p.m., 8:30-11:30 p.m.; Friday, 3-6 p.m., 10:30 p.m.-1:30 a.m.; Saturday-Sunday, 1-2:30 p.m., 9:30 p.m.-12:30 a.m.) and CBS (Saturday-Sunday, 3-6 p.m.).
Online: www.pgatour.com

LPGA TOUR

SAFEWAY CLASSIC
Site: North Plains, Ore.
Schedule: Friday-Sunday.
Television: Golf Channel (Friday, 6:30-8:30 p.m.; Saturday, 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., 6:30-9:30 p.m.; Sunday, 3-5 a.m., 10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., 6:30-9:30 p.m.; Monday, 3-5 a.m.).
Online: www.lpga.com

CHAMPIONS TOUR

DICK'S SPORTING GOODS OPEN
Site: Endicott, N.Y.
Schedule: Friday-Sunday.
Television: Golf Channel (Friday, 12:30-2:30 p.m.; Saturday, 2:30-4:30 a.m., 3-6 p.m.; Sunday, 1-3 a.m., 3-6 p.m.; Monday, 1-3 a.m.).
Online: www.pgatour.com

WEB.COM TOUR

MIDWEST CLASSIC
Site: Overland Park, Kan.
Schedule: Thursday-Sunday.
Television: None.
Online: www.pgatour.com

TENNIS

ATP-WTA

WESTERN & SOUTHERN OPEN
At Mason, Ohio
Wednesday's results
Singles
Men
Second Round
Mardy Fish (10), United States, def. Carlos Berlocq, Argentina, 6-3, 6-1.
Viktor Troicki, Serbia, def. Lleyton Hewitt, Australia, 6-2, 6-0.
Nikolay Davydenko, Russia, def. Florian Mayer, Germany, 6-3, 6-3.
Novak Djokovic (2), Serbia, def. Andreas Seppi, Italy, 7-6 (4), 6-2.
Juan Martin del Potro (6), Argentina, def. Tommy Haas, Germany, 7-5, 6-2.
Jeremy Chardy, France, def. Denis Istomin, Uzbekistan, 6-4, 6-3.
Andy Murray (3), Britain, def. Sam Querrey, United States, 6-2, 6-4.
Milos Raonic, Canada, def. Marcos Baghdatis, Cyprus, 6-7 (6), 6-3, 6-4.
Kei Nishikori (14), Japan, def. James Blake, United States, 2-6, 6-4, 6-4.
Radek Stepanek, Czech Republic, def. Juan Monaco (8), Argentina, 7-6 (2), 6-1.
Marin Cilic (12), Croatia, def. Jesse Levine, United States, 7-5, 7-6 (6).
Women
Agnieszka Radwanska (1), Poland, def. Sofia Arvidsson, Sweden, 6-4, 6-3.
Sloane Stephens, United States, def. Camila Giorgi, Italy, 6-2, 6-1.
Andrea Hlavackova, Czech Republic, def. Dominika Cibulkova (11), Slovakia, 7-6 (1), 4-1, retired.
Anastasia Pavlyuchenkova (17), Russia, def. Julia Goerges, Germany, 6-3, 6-0.
Peng Shuai, China, def. Roberta Vinci, Italy, 6-3, 6-4.
Petra Kvitova (4), Czech Republic, def. Mona Barthel, Germany, 3-6, 6-2, 7-5.
Sara Errani (7), Italy, def. Daniela Hantuchova, Slovakia, 6-4, 6-4.
Urszula Radwanska, Poland, def. Yaroslava Shvedova, Kazakhstan, 4-6, 4-1, retired.
Ekaterina Makarova, Russia, def. Anna Tatishvili, Georgia, 6-1, 6-2.
Venus Williams, United States, def. Chanelle Scheepers, South Africa, 2-6, 6-3, 6-2.
Doubles
Men
First Round
Juan Sebastian Cabal, Colombia, and Bruno Soares, Brazil, def. Colin Fleming and Ross Hutchins, Britain, 6-4, 6-4.
Ivan Dodig, Croatia, and Marcelo Melo, Brazil, def. Tomas Berdych, Czech Republic, and Florian Mayer, Germany, 6-4, 6-3.
Women
Eleni Daniilidou, Germany, and Peng Shuai, China, def. Jelena Jankovic, Serbia, and Shahar Peer, Israel, 6-1, 6-3.
Second Round
Andrea Hlavackova and Lucie Hradecka (5), Czech Republic, def. Julia Goerges, Germany, and Kveta Peschke, Czech Republic, 6-1, 4-6, 10-6 tiebreak.

TRANSACTIONS

MLB

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE — Suspended San Francisco OF Melky Cabrera 50 games for violating Major League Baseball's Joint Drug Prevention and Treatment Program.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

BALTIMORE ORIOLES — Assigned OF Endy Chavez outright to Norfolk (IL).
KANSAS CITY ROYALS — Released 2B Yuniesky Betancourt.
MINNESOTA TWINS — Selected the contract of SS Pedro Florimon from Rochester (IL).
TORONTO BLUE JAYS — Agreed to terms with C Yorvit Torrealba on a minor league contract.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

CHICAGO CUBS — Fired vice president of player personnel Oneri Fleita.
COLORADO ROCKIES — Recalled RHP Guillermo Moscoso from Colorado Springs (PCL). Designated RHP Mike Ekstrom for assignment.
NEW YORK METS — Assigned LHP Garrett Olson outright to Buffalo (IL).
ST. LOUIS CARDINALS — Agreed to terms with 1B Brock Peterson on a minor league contract.
SAN FRANCISCO GIANTS — Placed RHP Brad Penny on the 15-day DL. Recalled RHP Dan Otero from Fresno (PCL). Assigned RHP Guillermo Mota to the AZL Giants.
International League
CHARLOTTE KNIGHTS — Sent RHP Gregory Infante to Birmingham (SL).

NBA

CLEVELAND CAVALIERS — Named Koby Altman pro personnel manager.
DETROIT PISTONS — Signed F Khris Middleton.

NFL

NFL

CAROLINA PANTHERS — Waived G Andre Ramsey. Signed RB Armond Smith.
NEW YORK GIANTS — Placed DT Martin Parker on the waived-injured list. Signed DT Carlton Powell and DT Oren Wilson.

NHL

SAN JOSE SHARKS — Re-signed F Brandon Mashinter to a one-year contract.

FOOTBALL

NFL PRE-SEASON

Thursday's games
All times Eastern
Cleveland at Green Bay, 8 p.m.
Cincinnati at Atlanta, 8 p.m.

CFL

EAST DIVISION

	GP	W	L	T	PF	PA	Pt
Hamilton	6	3	3	0	182	198	6
Toronto	6	3	3	0	138	151	6
Montreal	6	3	3	0	164	188	6
Winnipeg	6	1	5	0	127	199	2

WEST DIVISION

	GP	W	L	T	PF	PA	Pt
B.C.	6	4	2	0	158	119	8
Edmonton	6	4	2	0	139	99	8
Calgary	6	3	3	0	186	174	6
Saskatchewan	6	3	3	0	175	141	6

WEEK 8
Thursday's game
All times Eastern
Hamilton at Winnipeg, 8 p.m.
Friday's game
Montreal at Edmonton, 9 p.m.
Saturday's game
Toronto at Calgary, 7 p.m.
Sunday's game
Saskatchewan at B.C., 7 p.m.

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Horoscopes

♈ Aries
March 21 - April 20
Don't cut corners or disobey rules, especially on the work front where colleagues and employers won't be too happy if you do the opposite of what is expected of you. There's a lot at stake — don't mess up.

♉ Taurus
April 21 - May 21
Watch what you say today because you may be tempted to go over the top and let slip something you will later regret. Also, make no accusations that you cannot back up with rock solid facts and figures.

♊ Gemini
May 22 - June 21
Your financial situation is not so bad that you have to cash in your stocks and shares or sell off your assets. However, your everyday spending habits do need some attention. Where can you make savings?

♋ Cancer
June 22 - July 23
Petty arguments could very easily get out of hand today, so watch your temper. Others may be unjustly critical of what you are doing but the best way to deal with them is just to ignore them.

♌ Leo
July 24 - Aug. 23
You seem to be out of touch with what is going on around you at the moment but that's no bad thing. If you get involved with other people's battles, you could end up as one of the wounded.

♍ Virgo
Aug. 24 - Sept. 23
Listen to what other people have to tell you today and, if their proposals sound good, offer to join forces and make it happen. You are not the only one who has good ideas. Teamwork invariably brings success.

♎ Libra
Sept. 24 - Oct. 23
What you are offered today may fall short of what you desire but the planets indicate it is the best deal you are going to get, so you might as well take it. And don't forget to show your appreciation.

♏ Scorpio
Oct. 24 - Nov. 22
Delays of one sort or another are likely today but don't let that stop you getting out into the world and meeting new people. In most situations, a smile and a kind word will get you past obstructions.

♐ Sagittarius
Nov. 23 - Dec. 21
Few things are as bad as they first appear to be and if you keep that thought in mind today you won't go far wrong. A temporary setback is just that so don't make a huge deal of it.

♑ Capricorn
Dec. 22 - Jan. 20
It may be easy to get annoyed with people who cannot live up to your standards, but if you do it will only make matters worse. Stay calm and realize that, for some, your standards are impossibly high.

♒ Aquarius
Jan. 21 - Feb. 19
You would be wise to think twice before acting on a hunch today, especially on the work front where your reputation could take a nose-dive if you make the wrong call. Let's others take the risks.

♓ Pisces
Feb. 20 - March 20
You should be doing more. You should be making better use of the talents you were born with. What you need to remember is that each and every day can be a new beginning. Forget about yesterday — act today.

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Crossword: It's a Puzzle

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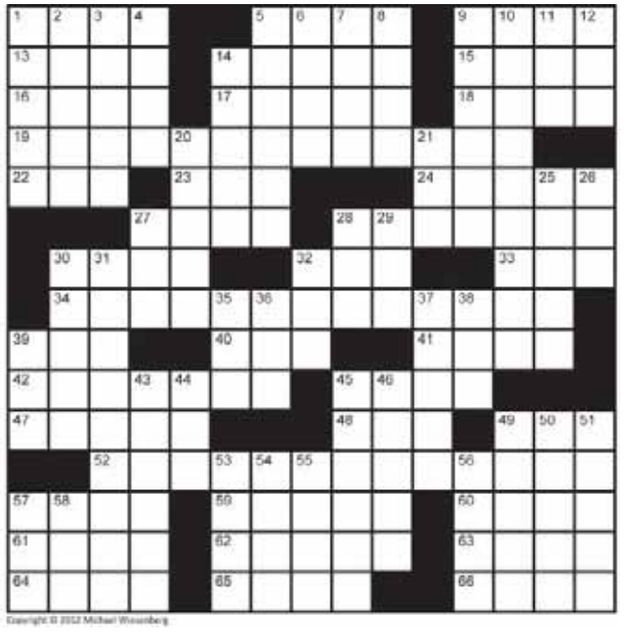

Across
1. ___ cadabra
5. Chimney cleaner's concern
9. The most successful Swedish music act
13. Beaufort and Bering
14. Fall crop spoiler
15. Street
16. Painting and sculpture, e.g.
17. Slightest
18. Animal fat
19. Ottawa resident who starred in the Mummy film series (2 wds.)
22. Hardly a gentleman
23. Key beside F1
24. *My Dinner with* ___: 1981 film
27. Ancient cross with circular loop
28. ___ Party: Canada's oldest federally registered party
30. ___ time: never (2 wds.)
32. Inc.'s Canadian counterpart
33. Lubricant
34. What Canada Day commemorates
39. ___ up: soak (gravy with bread)
40. "___ are for kids"
41. Emoters
42. Northwest ___: sea route on Canadian mainland's N coast
45. Vancouver team member
47. *The* ___: series starring Mr. T (2 wds.)
48. ___ and outs
49. Consumed
52. City known as "The Birthplace of Confederation"
57. Tegan and ___: Calgary-born rockers
59. "___ No Good": Linda Ronstadt hit
60. Spoiled kid
61. Any time
62. 1950s Ford flop
63. Mix by hand
64. "___ Smile Be Your Umbrella" (2 wds.)
65. Arranges, as a dinner table
66. Window unit

Down
1. "It's easy ___!": very simple (comparison) (2 wds.)
2. Legendary Yankee catcher Yogi
3. ___ R: for mature audiences
4. Org.
5. Canadian language
6. Bread unit
7. Soviet Union
8. Songstress James
9. Garfield's feline girlfriend
10. Corporate meeting place
11. Place serving 53-Down
12. Sum
14. Chemistry lab vessel
20. Words before "iniquity" or "thieves" (2 wds.)
21. Sat. or Sun. (depending on religion)
25. Precipitates
26. House wing
27. "Barbara ___": 1966 Beach Boys hit
28. Env. content
29. Film noir actress Lupino
30. "... ___ of many colors" (2 wds.)
31. Hush-hush (2 wds.)
32. ___ Luthor: Superman's nemesis
35. Heart measure, for short
36. Expire
37. "All ___ in favor ..."
38. Gandalf portrayer McKellen
39. Whirlpool site
43. African desert
44. "I ___ Rock": Simon & Garfunkel hit (2 wds.)
45. Gasoline units
46. "___ Inside": computer slogan
49. Main artery
50. Ontario-born singer Shania
51. ___ nous: confidentially (literally, between us)
53. Strong drinks sometimes called redeye
54. Ore deposit
55. Eject
56. Three tsps.
57. Poivre tablemate
58. 15-Across cousin: abbr.

Yesterday's crossword

What's online

See today's answers at metronews.ca/answers.

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2	7			1		8		
			2		5			7
			8	2		6		
7		6				1		2
		4		3	1			
5			4		6			
		7		9			6	5
4			1					

Yesterday's Sudoku

1	3	6	8	4	9	7	2	5
5	4	9	7	2	1	3	6	8
8	7	2	6	3	5	9	4	1
6	5	7	4	1	8	2	9	3
9	2	8	3	5	7	4	1	6
3	1	4	9	6	2	8	5	7
2	8	1	5	9	3	6	7	4
4	9	3	1	7	6	5	8	2
7	6	5	2	8	4	1	3	9

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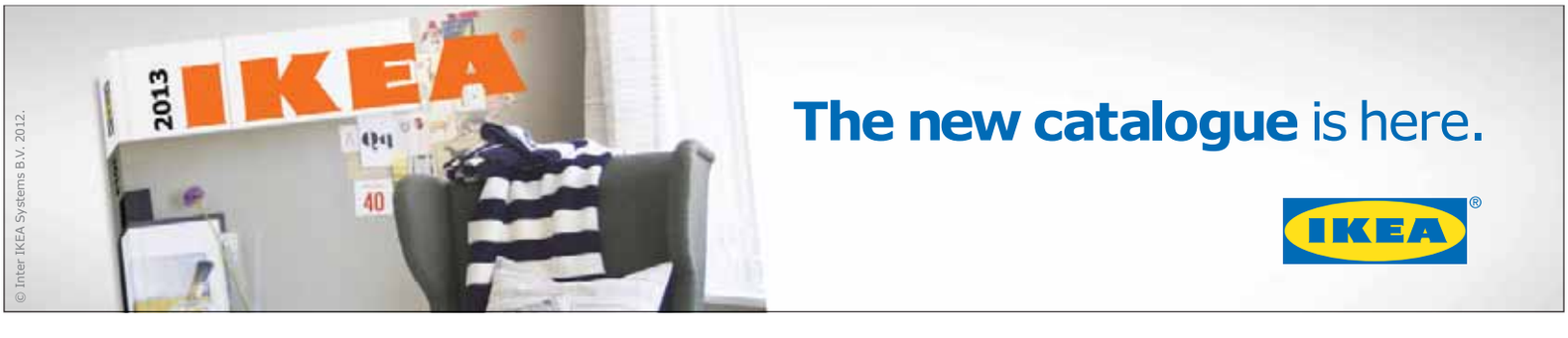

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